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NEW PRESIDENT INSTALLED

Impressive Exercises at the Induction of Rev. Everett C. Herrick as President of Theological Institution

The inauguration of Rev. Dr. Everett Carleton Herrick as president of the Newton Theological Institution took place with impressive ceremonies on Tuesday of this week.

Thirty colleges and seminaries, including Harvard and Boston University, were represented in the procession which marched into the Baptist church at Newton Centre.

The program included the singing of a hymn and the invocation by Rev. Thomas S. Roy of Brockton. Prayer was read by an ex-president of the institution, Rev. Nathan E. Woods. Albert L. Scott, president of the board of trustees, presented the keys of the institution to the new president. Rev. Hugh A. Heath, secretary of the Massachusetts Baptist Convention, delivered the charge of office. The inaugural address was preceded by the singing of another hymn. The new president delivered an eloquent address on "Equipping the Minister of Tomorrow."

Dr. Herrick said in part:

"A year ago last Commencement, we observed the One Hundredth Anniversary of the founding of the Newton Theological Institution. In the spring of 1826, one hundred years ago last Commencement, two men—Eli Burnham Smith and John Equality Weston—who had each spent two years in Andover were graduated as the first class of the Seminary.

"Behind us, today, is a full century of noble and thrilling achievement. It is a story radiant with the lives of saintly and heroic men. Scholars, missionaries, educators, pastors, faithful shepherds of Christ's flock have gone from our hill into all the earth.

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"Newton was founded, like a large and impressive group of our sister Seminaries, to train preachers and leaders for our churches. There is no occasion to depart from that original purpose. It is, however, the contemporary and not the Pauline Church to which our men must go. They must serve churches in a democracy and not in an imperial empire or even a Facist aristocracy. While they need to have a historical knowledge of the events of the first century, they must have a sympathic understanding of the life of the 20th century.

"And Newton has always stood not only for the faith of the Baptist fathers but also for the freedom of that faith. Throughout all the century of its existence, Newton has been as it must always remain, spiritually and intellectually free and untrammelled. We would encourage our students to investigate and think for themselves. We would seek to make their minds the hospitable home of Truth from whatever source it may come to them. We would seek to make them thoroughly furnished to interpret Christ to their own age and to make Salvation real; and we announce our absolute and unswerving loyalty to Jesus Christ our Divine and ever living Head."

The benediction was given by Rev. Frank Rector of Pawtucket, R. I.

Mr. Scott presided at the luncheon, which was served in the Newton Centre Woman's Club. Rev. Otis W. Foye, president of the Northern Baptist Educational Society, gave the invocation at luncheon. After luncheon short addresses were given by Pres. Daniel L. Marsh of Boston University, Dean Willard L. Sperry of the Harvard Theological School and Pres. Milton G. Evans of Crozer Theological Seminary.

In the afternoon a reception was held in the chapel of the First Baptist Church, where Rev. Charles N. Arbuckle, pastor of the church, and Rev. Frank K. Fagerburg of Springfield spoke.

POAN—GERRIAR

The wedding of Miss Viola M. Gerriar and Mr. Amedee Poan took place Thanksgiving Day at St. John's Church, Rev. Fr. Robichaud performing the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Poan will reside at 265 Pearl street, Newton.

RAINBOW REVUE

A Beautiful Show Given at Newton High School

The "Rainbow Review," one of the most elaborately produced amateur shows ever given in this city, was performed last Friday and Saturday evenings at the new High School Auditorium before large audiences. The production was originated, staged and produced under the direction of C. Hassler Capron of Newton Centre; the words and music were by Louis Haffermehl of Newton Centre and Lewis A. Harlow of Milton, the Aleppo Temple "musical wizards"; the dances were directed by Hazel Sands Welch of Newton Centre. The show consisted of a prologue, two acts, and ten scenes, in which were introduced spectacular lighting effects, lavish costumes, and clever acting and dancing. The participants in the prologue were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Francis of Newton Centre, who introduced the different characters. Among the outstanding numbers of the "Rainbow Review" were—the Ballet of the Pansies, a beautiful number in which several girls, attired in dinty chiffon costumes, emerged from a huge bowl to perform interpretive dances; "Salted Peanuts," a novelty number in which six of the ballet were wheeled onto the stage encased in "peanut shells"; the "Waterfall," a specialty introducing clever pantomime work and novelty dancing by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Stuart, assisted by members of the cast. Mr. and Mrs. Stuart, who contributed heavily to the success of the performance, also put on a one act sketch, "The Chaperon." Don Howard of Cambridge, tenor soloist, Richardson Brown of Auburndale, baritone, and Miss Silvia Riley of Newtonville, interpretive dancing. The final number, "The Land of Lace" was a delightful scene in which ten girls were lavishly costumed in lace gowns.

The proceeds of the show were devoted to the Newton Hospital. It will be repeated again next month at Whitney Hall, Brookline, and in February will be given for three nights at Newton Centre. The cast was composed of the following young people from this vicinity.

Newton—Edith Pearson, Ruth Pearson, Mary Scofield; Chestnut Hill—Nancy Richmond, Gwendolyn Scudder, Dorothea Tichnor; Newton Centre—Evelyn Lovejoy, Mildred McKey, Penelope Ridgeway, Helen Stuart, Elinore Young, George L. Brush, Jr., Louis B. Hoagland, E. B. Stratton; Newtonville—Lucy Allen, Muriell Bassett, Francesca Barker, Jean Blair, Ellen Chase, Betty Richardson, Marion Trowbridge, Katherine Whittaker, George Ames, Jr., Henry W. Bates, Jr., Oliver H. Durrell, Edward J. Herlihy; West Newton—Margaret Blunt, Agnes Hartridge, Cleone Place, Henry H. Batten; Auburndale—Dorothy Estabrook, Barbara Hanson, Lorraine Holmes; Newton Highlands—Francis Frolich, Mildred MacDonald, Elinor Newton, Payson T. Lowell, Jr., Donald K. Tarbell; Newton Upper Falls—Leonora Bennett, Adelyn Vara, Francis Warren; Waltham—Roland O'Donnell, Harold Martinson.

MEMORIAL SUNDAY

Newton Lodge of Elks will observe next Sunday as Memorial Sunday. The formal exercises will take place at the Community Theatre at 3.30, and Hon. E. Mark Sullivan will be the orator.

GIRL SCOUTS

December 11th! Girl Scout Cookie Day!

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Those cookies, you eat three or four—
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And try just one more."

Plans for the Newton Rally in the High School Gymnasium on Friday evening, December 3rd, are completed and all the Newton troops are looking forward eagerly to the parts that they are to play. The history of the American flag will be shown in a series of six tableaux with appropriate music and reading. The tableaux will be in the following order: The old English Flag, Troop 15; The Pine Tree Flag of New England, Troop 10; The Cambridge Flag and Spirit of '76, Troop 21; The First American Flag and Betsy Ross, Troop 17; The Star Spangled Banner, Troop 13; The Flag of Today, Troop 14. The songs which will accompany these tableaux will be "America the Beautiful," an old version of America, "Yankee Doodle," "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," "the Star Spangled Banner," "The Home Road," and "Oh, Beautiful Banner." "The Home Road" will be sung as a solo by Captain Mosser of Troop 4, Waban. The lyrics which will be read were written by Lieutenant Burnham of Troop 14, Waban, who also arranged the music and songs. Miss Marion Clapp will read the lyrics and lead the singing.

The Newton Scouts have dressed 11 Friendship Dolls for the children of Japan. At the Rally on December 3rd these dolls will be sent off on their long journey. Each one will carry her own passport and ticket, and many good wishes from the American Scouts. The Rally will end with the awarding of merit badges and other honors. Among these will probably be four letters of commendation and two Golden Eaglets, the highest honors

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WANT TAX ABATED

Taxation of Newton Centre Woman's Clubhouse Before Supreme Court

Arguments were made before the full bench of the supreme court Wednesday in the case of the Newton Centre Woman's Club, Inc., against the city of Newton, which involves the right of the city of Newton to tax the property of the club.

In 1922 it erected a clubhouse at Newton Centre, and in 1923 the assessors of Newton assessed a tax of $1463 on the real and $53.20 on the personal property. After suit had begun in the superior court for the abatement of the tax, a commissioner was appointed, who found as a fact that the activities and work of the petitioner, and the uses to which it put its buildings, were of the nature of a literary, benevolent and charitable institution, and that its social and fellowship relations were merely incidental.

On the report of the commissioner, Judge Donahue of the superior court ordered the tax abated, on the ground that the club was a literary, benevolent and charitable institution within the meaning of the law and therefore was exempt from taxation.

Frank H. Stewart appeared for the Woman's Club, and City Solicitor Joseph W. Bartlett for the city of Newton.

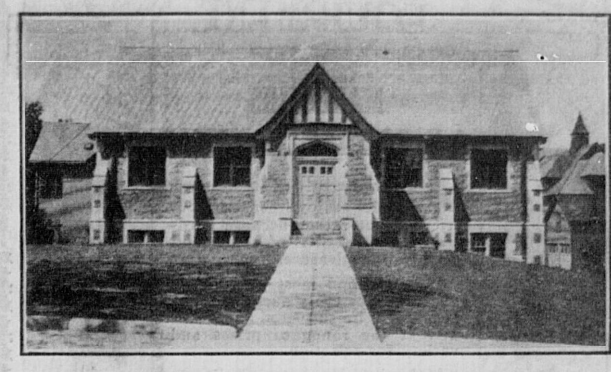
It ws contended by Mr. Bartlett that not only did the petitioner fail to show "clearly and unequivocally" that the dominant purpose was literary, benevolent and charitable within the meaning of the statute, but that on the contrary, a mere examination of its activities disclosed that the main purpose of its existence was to afford pleasure, amusement and gratification to its own members.

Mr. Bartlett also said that the petitioner was a member of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs, and also a member of the Newton Federation of Women's Clubs, and it would hardly be contended that a building occupied by either of those organizations would be exempt from taxation, and it was a fair assumption that the petitioner was a member of those organizations, not for philanthropic purposes, but for the edification and gratification of its own membership.

The decision of the full court will affect many similar organizations throughout the Commonwealth.

WEST NEWTON BRANCH LIBRARY

Splendid Addition to our Educational Facilities Due to Efforts of the Ladies



THE WEST NEWTON BRANCH LIBRARY
Photo by L. L. White

The new branch library which has recently been opened in West Newton is a splendid example of public spirit and civic pride. The idea of a branch library as a memorial to the soldier dead of West Newton was conceived some four years ago by members of the Community Service Club of that village and a committee composed of Mrs. Ellery Peabody, chairman, Mrs. A. Shirley Ladd, secretary, and Mrs. Herbert Cushman, treasurer, was appointed. The committee with the assistance of the West Newton Neighborhood House and the Men's Club of West Newton, by means of subscriptions, and the proceeds of fairs and entertainments, raised about $60,000. With this money the land on Chestnut and Davis streets was purchased, the small and shabby buildings on Chestnut street were removed and the handsome building shown in the cut erected under the direction of Edward E. Stratton, the architect, and William Kellar, the builder.

The Memorial idea of the building is carried out in two bronze tablets on the south side of the reading room and bearing the following inscriptions:—

"1926, West Newton Memorial Library. This building is erected in loving memory of those devoted citizens who gave faithful service for the uplift and development of this community and who made it a centre of culture and education. 'We best serve the interests of posterity by treasuring the memory of our ancestors. "

The other tablet has this inscription:

"In loving memory of the men of this village who gave their lives for their country,—

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The building is of Gothic style with exterior of brick and stone and half timbered gables; the roof is varie-

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Brookline and Everett high school football teams will meet tomorrow afternoon on Braves Field to play off the tie in the Suburban League, which came as a result of the former's defeat of Newton and the latter's defeat by Cambridge Latin. Many Newton fans will witness the clash which will accompany the curtain-fall of the 1926 gridiron season and despite the intense rivilry between Newton and Brookline the majority will root for the Wealthy Town team. Everett has been the league champions a sufficient number of times and there are many who would like to see Coach Tom Hines' outfit grab the gonfalon.

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THE WEEK IN NEWTON SPORTS

Edited by WARREN K. BRIMBLECOM

AN ALL-TEAM

This is hte season for All-teams. There are all-scholastic teams, all-American teams, all-Big Three teams, and nearly every kind of an All-team that can be mentioned. Because of the almost impossibility of selecting an all-team of any description which would do full justice to the players and because of not having seen many of the teams in action, we are forced to confine our All-team selection to an altogether new type. The following team would look good on any college gridiron and is one composed of former Newton High players or youths whose home is in Newton:

Adams,	Bowdoin,	re
Kevorkian,	Brown,	rt
Hodges,	Brown,	rg
Consodine,	Brown,	c
Alexander,	Bowdoin,	lg
Coady,	Harvard,	lt
Rising,	Dartmouth,	le
Stafford,	Harvard,	qb
Olmstead,	Bowdoin,	rhb
Kohler,	Bowdoin,	lhb
King,	St. Lawrence,	fb

Sub-linesmen: Howland, Oakes, Kennedy, (Bowdoin); Lovejoy, Walker, (Dartmouth); Sub-back: Kernan (U. of Vir.)

1927 PROSPECTS BRIGHT

Before "taps" are sounded on the 1926 football season it is fitting to take a glance at the prospects for the 1927 season at the high school which are brighter than they have been for several years. Of the twenty-nine members of this year's varsity outfit thirteen, or nearly half, will be available next year. If called upon right now Coach Dickinson could put a team that will probably carry the colors for Newton high next season on the field which would be no mean aggregation. Here is the way they would line-up: Scheinfain, Cole, Payne, and Reimer, ends; Harrington and Shea, guards; Stubbs, Hamilton, and Swan, tackles; Gatchell, centre; Gilligan, qb; Perry and MacIntyre, halfbacks; and Brown, fullback. Scheinfain, Harrington, Shea, Gilligan, Perry and MacIntyre have at least two more years to play so that the guard positions and the backfield seem pretty well settled for some time to come. In addition to these veterans there are several lads on the intermediate varsity team of this year who will make a grand fight for first team berths next year. The two outstanding athletes in this group are Phil Andres, brother of this year's gridiron leader and Duane. Both are backfield men and the former is one of the best punters in the school. Brandon Marsh and Bob Bennett of this year's squad may also return to Newton another year.

With such a nucleus to build around Coach Dickinson can start next year almost from where he left off this year, and will not have to spend as much time on the fundamentals of football as he did the past season. Although the players who graduate next June include a number of steady and reliable linesmen and backs the Newton mentor has good material to start the 1927 season with, as shown. The letter-men who will be lost to the orange and black next year are Capt. Andres, Annable, Clark, DeCourcey, Eames, Forristall, Hapgood, Kent, Macey, Martin, McNeil, Nason, Symonds, and Wilkerson, besides Proctor and Spain.

This afternoon the entire squad of letter men will sit for the team picture, after which the captain for next year's team will be elected.

PREPARING FOR TRACK SEASON

This winter the Newton high school track athletes will have one of the best indoor tracks in the State on which to stage their meets. The old track in the ancient drill shed will be improved with permanent banks. The partitions which set off the physical director's office, as well as the girls' gymnastic apparatus and lockers, have been removed so that the track will be lengthened to approximately the same length as the B.A.A. indoor track, or about 100 yards to the lap. The banks will not be confined to the corners as heretofore but will be constructed in saucerlike fashion from the end of one straightaway to the start of the other at each end of the building. This will make it possible for the runners to pass one another on the banks with a minimum possibility of injury. For many years the banks have made it so dangerous that the runners, especially those on visiting teams who were not used to conditions, were handicapped. In addition to improving the track for the longer runs it will also be possible to lengthen the dash and hurdle events from 25 yards to 35 yards. The lumber for the improvements has been ordered and it is hoped to have the entire work finished by the middle of this month in order that the candidates can be called out for the first practice on the 15th.

The usual opening meet with the alumnae will take place on an earlier date this year. Instead of staging this affair in January the management will match the schoolboys against the graduates sometime during the final week of December, which is vacation time for the colleges. This will give many of the various track athletes at the colleges a chance to compete against this years track team, something which in former years not many have been able to do as they could not leave college to return for the meet. A far stronger Alumni group is thus expected to be present and the schoolboys will be forced to show their best to defeat them. The schedule has not been completed fully as yet but will be announced within a week or ten days.

BASKETBALL SEASON OPENS

Among the several winter sports to which the athlete turns his attention is one of the most, if not the most, popular of American games—basketball. The Newton Y. M. C. A., whose teams in former years brought home one state championship after another, is again putting a team in the field. The local association is a member of the Two-State Y. M. C. A. league which takes in the foremost Y's of Massachusetts and Rhode Island. Because of the number of associations in the league that are represented by basketball teams it is necessary to divide the territory into several divisions. Newton is in the Eastern division with six other associations— Cambridge, Lynn, Fitchburg, Lowell, Worcester, and Quincy. These seven outfits will play home and home games in the preliminary rounds for the Two-State title. The winner in the Eastern Division will then meet the winners of the other divisions in a final round, the winners of which will take the championship.

The local association has been putting in some strenuous practice sessions for the past few weeks in getting ready for a stiff schedule which opens tomorrow evening when the squad will travel to Fitchburg to meet last year's champions. Phil Hardy, who played a brilliant game at centre last year, will again be at the pivot position. With the experience he gained last year, which was his first at the game, he should be one of the outstanding players on the "Y" five. Arthur Kohler, a former Waltham high school player, and Charles McCarthy will probably be the dependable forwards as they are more aggressive than the others which include Francis Connearny, Ray Wellman, and John McDonald. The guard positions will be well taken care of by the veteran Harry Gray and Burnett, a guard on the Alpha Pi Club of Belmont team last year, with Bill Shields, a utility player last year and Elmer Colligan for replacements. The outstanding players who will make up a nucleus of the second team are, Rand, centre; Shaw and Cummings, guards; and Purcell and Farrell forwards.

Newton's league schedule follows:

Dec. 4.	Newton at Fitchburg
Dec. 11.	Newton at Lowell
Dec. 18.	Lynn at Newton
Jan. 5.	Newton at Quincy
Jan. 22.	Worcester at Newton
Jan. 29.	Cambridge at Newton
Feb. 5.	Quincy at Newton
Feb. 19.	Lowell at Newton
Feb. 26.	Fitchburg at Newton
Mar. 5.	Newton at Cambridge
Mar. 19.	Newton at Worcester

Dates with other teams are being arranged to bring the schedule up to about eighteen games. On Dec. 29th Somerville, entered in the Suburban division, will come to Newton. The Lawrence association has asked for a home and home game on dates to be announced later.

SPORT NOTES

Capt. Clem Coady and "Jake" Stafford of the Harvard football team were awarded another "H" for their part in the Crimson football games. Both of the former Newton high grid stars had won their letter before but this year in addition to the letter they, with 24 others, were awarded the new "H" certificate signed by William Bingham, athletic director.

Rufus Bond, popular twilight league official and assisant playground director for Newton, has turned his attention to basketball for the winter. He will again coach the Northeastern University quintet and has already cut his squad to twelve men which will probably go through the entire season. The season opens Dec. 11th and includes a trip through Western Massachusetts, Vermont and New York.

Larry Pratt, star defense player on the Harvard hockey sextet last season is coaching the Loomis Institute outfit of Loomis, Conn., this year.

The Newton Upper Falls Town team scored a 19 to 0 victory over its ancient rivals, the Needham T. T., last Sunday on the Newton Upper Falls playground. Mahoney scored two of the local teams touchdowns and Powers the other. Powers added the other point on a try after touchdown.

Charles Consodine and Ed. Kevorkian, two of Brown's "iron men" were awarded their letters at the Rhode Island University last week. They, with the rest of the squad, were also presented with gold footballs at a dinner tendered the squad Saturday night.

Newton will be exceedingly well represented on the Harvard hockey team this year with four local lads in the line-up. Captain Bill Ellison of Newton should lead the Crimson to its second successive collegiate title unless greatly unexpected developments occur. He will have with him on the first team squad three other townsmen, Clem Coady, Courtlandt Gross, and Henry Crosby, all of West Newton. Coady was a strong defense player on the varsity six last year and should regain his position without difficulty. He will team with Capt. Ellison. The two other Newton youths play the wings. Gross is a veteran of last year's outfit while Crosby, the third of a trio of brothers, is one of the most finished hockey players in Harvard today. He was a member of the freshman six last season and, if Coach Bigelow follows his plan of last year by having two sets of forwards, should play a lot at the right wing position on the varsity this year.

The Newton Y. M. C. A. is preparing to have a swimming team this year to represent it in meets with other nearby associations. The first practice will be held in the "Y" tank next Wednesday night, Dec. 8th, at 8 P. M. Melville Westgate, assistant physical director, will coach the team and is now arranging meets with Boston, Cambridge, Malden, Wakefield, Boston Boy's Club, and other Y. M. C. A.'s. The first meet will be staged shortly after New Year's.

Four Newton men were awarded soccer or Association Football letters at various colleges this year. At Wesleyan Karl Hartzell, a back, and Berkley Johnson, a forward, were winners of insignia, at Brown, Roger Case is one of the first men to win such a letter, while Charlie Phelps in spite of his injury gained the same award at Williams.

In the recent class meets held at Dartmouth, Philip C. Rising, now a sophomore, won the javelin throw, defeating Corvert, the college champion and a man who placed in last year's Intercollegiates. Although the day was rainy and the footing treacherous, he threw the javelin in his old time form. He is expected to be one of the strong links in the Big Green's track team this year judging by the results of the Fall Meet.

The Phelps boys reported for the Williams swimming team this past week, Bill to take his accustomed place on the relay team and Charlie to try out for the dash events. The latter's injury still bothers him but he expects to round into form soon enough to make the New York trip during the Christmas holidays.

Now that the pages of football have been closed for another year at Bowdoin the various Newton men at the Brunswick institution are turning their minds to other activities. Since freshmen are eligible for the varsity after the first semester is finished, Alan Shaw, Stuart Stone, and Harold Rising are planning to go out for varsity competitions. Shaw will report for baseball which started December 1st, and should have no difficulty in making the team, for he is a consistent batter and an excellent fielder. Stone, together with his roommate, Tubby Howland, and a third Newtonian, Dick Thayer, will join the ranks of the puck-chasers. Jack Magee will have Kohler, a jumper, Adams, a javelin and discus man, Spear, a budding middle distance runner, and Hal Rising, whose fall work has stamped him as a positive find for the coach, under his care.

In the Williams College fall tennis tournament, Franklin "Jimmy" Hoyt reached the semi-finals. This is a fine showing since the Purple has two of the finest small college players in its ranks. Jimmy was a member of the famous Newton team that won all the prizes possible, and later made the Andover body, only to be forced to the spectator's seat by illness. With the standing he made in the fall tourney he should be a member of the varsity squad this year even if he is a freshman.

On the Boston Hockey team for Women one notes that Alice Brace was chosen as a member of the mythical All-Northern team. She has starred in her chosen sport ever since she entered High School where she was captain her last two years, and later at Vassar. She is fast and dribbles the ball well, and shoots with accuracy from scrimmage.

The Boston University hockey team received a severe setback this week when it was learned that "Gyp" Lawless of West Newton, the star forward of the sextet would not be able to participate in active athletics for more than a month because of a strained stomach. Last year it was his work on the forward line that enabled the Terriers to defeat Harvard 3 to 0.

In reviewing the Harvard football season of 1926, Clem Coady claims that the season was not terribly disastrous after all, and that the foundations of a new and modern system of football, that will eventually put Harvard back where it was formerly, have been laid.

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ABOUT TOWN

A spectator who was present at the Newton-Brookline football game on Thanksgiving Day told us that it was remarkable that no person was seriously hurt when one of the temporary stands collapsed. He suggests that some of the boys attending the Vocational Training School obtain practical instruction by building some substantial concrete stands to replace the weak wooden bleachers which now are located at the athletic field.

A familiar figure to hundreds of Newton residents will be seen no more. For 25 years Michael Cullinan faithfully served the residents of Ward 7 as one of their postmen. He had not been in good health for several years, but he continued to perform his duties with his usual efficiency. "Mike," as his associates knew him. was intensely fond of music. His favorite diversion was to play his violin. Sunday afternoon he played for some time on an instrument he had made himself. Sunday evening he sat in his home listening to a radio broadcast by an orchestra from New York. Suddenly he was stricken by heart failure, and within a few minutes he had passed on. An honest, conscientious public servant, Mr. Cullinan will be missed by the many friends he had made on the routes he had served.

Wednesday we attended the opening of the Dana Lowd Company at 274 Centre street. This concern specializes in electrical appliances. As we gazed at the demonstration of electric washers, electric ironers and vacuum cleaners, we thought of the days, not so long ago, when the women drudged for hours at scrubbing boards, bending over old fashioned tubs. We remembered the labor it was to heat the water for the weekly family washing, fill and empty the tubs, the scrubbing the rinsing, the old hand wringers. We recalled the irksome task of ironing clothes by hand, the terrific heat of the kitchen as the irons were kept hot on the kitchen range. The dust filled rooms as the sweeping was done with the corn brooms. And as we looked at the electric refrigerators, what a contrast they afford to the ice chests. No removing of food from the compartment to allow the filling of the chest. No drip pan overflowing, no clogged pipes. The housewives of today certainly have a much easier task in performing their duties than did their mothers.

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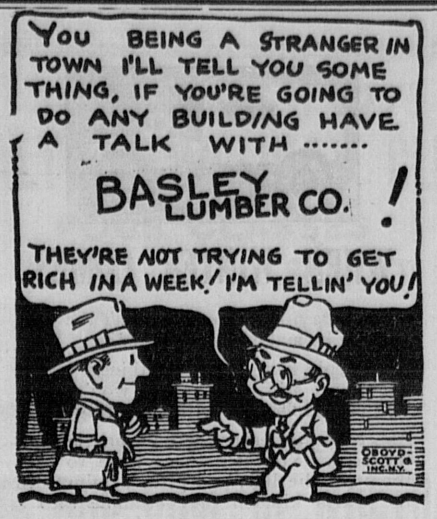


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NEWTON SPORTS

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THE 1926 REVIEW

Now that the final game on the Newton high school football schedule for 1926 is a matter of history the entire season may be reviewed with all facts at hand and no apologies to make to anyone. The record for the year stands six victories, three defeats, and one tie and a tie for third place with Somerville in the Suburban League for a 60% rating. Viewing the record from the opinion of the rabid football fan this can not be judged a successful season. He calls for a championship team with a clean record. But a championship team with a clean record does not by any means indicate that the less fortunate team has not had a successful season. It is a fact and the true sportsman will agree that the 1926 football season at Newton high has been almost an unparalleled success.

Among the 1925 letter men there were nine players that could be called stars. Of these seven were graduated last June, leaving but two, Captain Harold Andres and halfback Johnny Proctor. These two and the veterans, Clark, Spain, Stubbs, Forristall, and Bennett were all that Coach Dickinson had to build around. When the opening game came around there were many, who are in close touch with things, that were willing to predict that Newton would taste defeat in the majority of its games.

Quincy was sent back to the Granite City by a 3 to 0 defeat, due to Frank Spain's field goal early in the final period. The game was a costly one, however, for Brandon Marsh, one of the most excellent guard prospects on the squad, suffered a broken leg, putting him out for the season. Providence Tech was Newton's next victim and only a lucky break for Newton in the closing minutes of the game gave Spain an opportunity to score a field goal from the 30-yard line. The goal brought the orange and black's total to 10 points and staved off an almost certain 7-7 tie.

Against Natick the following week Newton showed marked improvement and won handily 18 to 6 although the visitors can not be rated in the same class with Newton. On Columbus Day at Everett the team outdid itself and held the Gildea outfit to a solitary field goal. In its second league game the same week against Cambridge on Saturday Newton outplayed the Cantaps in every way to win 13 to 0. On Friday, October 22, Newton vanquished St. Mary's of Waltham 7 to 0 by getting an early jump on the visitors and scoring on the first few minutes of play.

The Monday following Frank Spain suffered a wrenched knee and ankle which cost the team his services for the remainder of the season because of parental objections. Thus Newton went into the Somerville game with the loss of one of its most potent cogs. In this game Newton was extremely fortunate to pull out a 7 to 7 tie. Late in the first half the Dickerman outfit scored by straight football on a pretty march down the field during which Andres was injured. It was found that a small bone in Andres foot was broken and that he was through for the season. The next week he was operated on for appendicitis so there was a little consolation in the fact that he could not have gone through the season anyway. In the second half of the Somerville affair fortune smiled on Newton when Goodwin fumbled a punt and Gatchell recovered. In three plays Newton tied the count. The next week Newton went out of its class to meet Lawrence and was easily defeated by a 27 to 7 score. Proctor was playing his last game for Newton as he had been notified that he had been marked and that his probation would go into effect on Monday morning. Proctor must have thought he might as well end up in a fitting manner so he grabbed the kickoff and behind perfect interference made his way through the entire Lawrence eleven for Newton's only touchdown. Rindge was Newton's next victim and also gave Newton its final 1926 victory by a 19 to 0 score. Joe Gilligan came into his own by picking up a fumble and running 50 yards for one of the touchdowns and making another on two off-tackle plays that netted a total of 15 yards. Brookline came to Claflin Field on Thanksgiving Day the favorite. They show why they were the favorites and nothing can be said but that Newton was up against the better team. However, had the game been played three weeks earlier Newton would have ruled the favorite and there would have been no good reason why Newton should not have won.

Thus the season was brought to a close. Not any too successful when looked at from certain viewpoints. But when the final results have been taken into consideration it is nothing short of remarkable. Starting with nothing Coach Dickinon turned out a creditable team and he deserves more credit than in 1921 when Capt. Stafford's team won the state title and Coach Dickinson was presented with a testimonial of esteem at a public reception. That statement will probably meet with considerable disapproval but nevertheless it is a fact.

More than one instance will bear out that fact. For one—take the case of Everett Scheinfain. When this small but husky 15-year old lad reported for practice he had three outstanding defects—his offensive work was poor, he was slow getting down under punts, and he was inexperienced. What did he proceed to do? Before the season was ended he was Newton's best end. He cleaned out to perfection on runs around his end. He was down under the punts like a flash as any witness of the Rindge game will testify. Naturally he added to his experience but in addition he used his added experience in a much more noticeable degree than any other new man. Creighton Gatchell, centre, is another lad who is worth noticing. This boy stepped into a big hole when he tried to take over Andres' job. He, too, had little experience and knowledge of the gridiron sport, but there was no more willing a pupil than Gatchell. He came along fast and in the latter games of the season showed the stuff there is in him. He will go far next year. Joe Gilligan, given time, should be on a par with his brothers. He came fast in the Rindge and Brookline games. With more experience he will be even more valuable. He is laboring under two handicaps—first his inability to get away to a quick start. Tom Gilligan was the same and he overcame it by attending track practice. He was far better after that. Secondly the youngest member of the Gilligan trio is handicapped because every fan is watching him and putting him on the same level as his brothers. He is not and he will never be—unless given a chance.

Many others on the squad have shown marked improvement in their play but there is one more who stands out above all the rest. Playing at the start of the season at halfback and as a substitute quarterback and finally becoming the regular quarterback and acting-captain Len Clark has proven his worth. A football team can be a good team with only a mediocre quarter if they team together well, work in unison, and carry out their individual assignments but it takes a good quarterback to get the most out of any team. The early part of the season a team seldom is in unison unless it is entirely veteran. Then victories are largely won by a few stars. Late season games, however, are the opposite. The stars shine then because their path has been cleared for them by their teammates. At the close of the season Newton had lost its two remaining satellites and depended on its entire eleven men as a unit. Clark took over Spain's job as quarterback and Andres' job as captain and his work in the Brookline game was nothing short of remarkable. Never, in recent years, has a Newton eleven, the underdog at the start of the final game, and on the short end of a 9 to 0 score given their all as did the 1926 eleven Thanksgiving Day. It was a wonderful and thrilling sight to behold and it is hard to see where a single spectator at the game could fail to thrill and be proud of Clark and his teammates in that game. To be sure Clark's judgment on a few occasions is open to criticism but no one expects any schoolboy to use infallible judgment under pressure of a game.

That is the 1926 Newton high school team. Behind all this progress of the various individuals lies something of which notice has not yet been taken. Who is responsible? Much has been written of playing for the school's honor. That may be but it is the coach who imparts to the members of the squad the knowledge of the fundamentals of the great American sport. Therein lies the answer and that is why it can be truthfully said that the 1926 season has been successful and that Coach Dickinson is entitled to more credit this year than in 1921 when he had a team of championship material at the beginning of the season, one which needed but little coaching.

CHANGES ON 1927 SCHEDULE

Faculty manager Dr. Oscar Martin of the Newton high school has nearly completed the 1927 football schedule and has but one open date to fill. For several years it has been the policy of the authorities to arrange the opening game on the third Saturday in September after a short practice of about ten days. In order to allow more time for development of team play the opening of the season next year will be delayed one week. This necessitates the dropping of Quincy from the list and making the game with Providence Tech the curtain-raiser on September 24th. The following Saturday-October 1st, is the one remaining open date on the schedule.

The Suburban league schedule will differ from other years in that the opening has been advanced to the Saturday before Columbus Day, the usual opening day, due to the fact that Oct. 12th comes on Wednesday next year. However the usual holiday attractions will be staged with Newton meeting Everett at Claflin Field on the holiday. The Newton-Cambridge game which usually follows the Everett battle will be played on October 8th, a week earlier than usual, on Claflin Field. On October 15th there will be no game. These are the only two league games that Newton will play at home meeting Somerville on October 29th at Somerville, Rindge on November 12th at Cambridge, and Brookline on Thanksgiving Day at Brookline.

A newcomer on Newton's list and a team that will give Newton a good mid-season game is Beverly High which will come to Claflin Field on October 22nd. The other remaining date, November 5th, is the day of the Lawrence game. Newton having made the trip to the Mill city this year that team will come to Newton next season.

Prior to the signing of Beverly the Saturday of October 22nd was offered to Waltham with no results. This year the same date was offered to the Watch City eleven and it was held open until the last moment when Newton was finally forced to make an extensive search for an opponent. By that time every public school in the state had signed for a game and Newton was fortunate to get St. Mary's high of Waltham to fill the schedule out.

SPORT NOTES

Now that the football season is on the wane, the winter sports begin to take the floor. At Lehigh, Chester Pratt is a candidate for the wrestling team, a major sport at the college, and with his weight and football experience, should have little difficulty in making one of the six classes of weights.

Arnold Rich and Warren Skelton Newton both played for Tabor Academy in its last game. Rich was at full-back and around him the Tabor attack was built while Skelton played the pivot position. Both boys have attended other schools, Rich spent several years at Newton, where he was a member of the track squad, and Skelton played for the Huntington School football eleven last year, and is a hockey player of some ability.

While New Hampshire State was giving the Iron Men an exhibition in the fine art of forward passing, Steve Hodges, former Newton centre, was enjoying a battle with Charlie Consodine, an old time teammate at Newton. Honors were about even, but Hodges showed a remarkably fine game during the time he was in the lineup.

Matt B. Jones of Chestnut Hill was a member of the Williams varsity football squad this past season, playing in the line. With two more years ahead of him, he should make good material for Doug Lawson as he has tremendous strength and weighs around 180 pounds.

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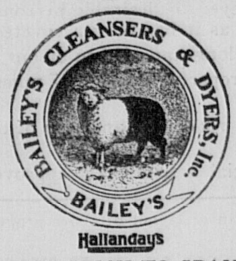
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And the boy who shirks Latin and mathematics in the high school doesn't seem at all abnormal or sub-normal to Dr. Thom.

"Why should such a boy be made to go to college?" he asks.

Certainly a question such as that makes us think that times are changing, and we ask, "Are the good old times when a boy should be made to go to college really a thing of the past?" Dr. Thom, however, would not let the boy of any age shirk responsibility—use argument for persuasion, and a very good argument is: "Do it—as Father did before you—to become fit for a man's job later."

The Club would be glad to hear Dr. Thom again.

Waban Woman's Club

Arthur Fisher, who received his training from Leland Powers, gave the members of the Waban Woman's Club a most pleasurable afternoon last Monday, proving by his ease, his perfect memory of the various conflicting parts, and by his dramatic force, that an effective reader can enact a drama greatly to the conviction of an audience. "Cyrano De Bergerac" not only appeared before them, but many other personages who were in the life of that gentleman. After this entertainment, tea was served and a social hour enjoyed, under the pleasing management of the Social Committee, of which Mrs. Thomas W. Pelham, Jr., is chairman.

West Newton Women's Educational Club

Let us go back to July 12, 1880, and peep at the ladies gathered in Mrs. Electa N. L. Walton's parlor as they discuss the proposition of forming a Woman's Club. (And yet this happened on Friday, November 26th, at Player's Small Hall, for the members of today of the West Newton Women's Educational Club.)

How quaint they look with the long dresses trailing on the floor and some with bonnets tied under the chin!

Mrs. Walton, impersonated by Mrs. D. Earle Brackett, charming in her costume of most half a century ago, presided with a quiet, firm dignity (typical of the time).

The discussion of the purpose and the name to be chosen for the Club, presented many ludicrous situations. "I object!" was often heard from one lively member. What a Darling, Mrs. S. P. made as Mrs. Allen!

Dear Mrs. Phipps, who has been a member of the Club for forty-three years, looked very sweet as Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, the guest. It was this guest who appropriately suggested the name to the Club which was approved and adopted.

At the close of the first act the Juniors sang very sweetly: "Carry Me Back to Ol' Virginny," and "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms."

At the annual banquet twenty years later, the new and second president, Mrs. Alvin R. Bailey, was chosen. The responses to the roll call were both clever and amusing.

The music throughout was most fitting and pleasing, Mrs. Wilson C. Dort sang: "Then You'll Rember Me," and Mrs. W. T. Jones sang, "In the Gloaming."

Mrs. Bernard Early, who wrote the play and coached the participants was presented by them with the book: "Nutting's Massachuetts."

Mrs. Joseph Congdon, district director and guest of honor, said she chose that day to make her official visit, as she was much interested in home dramatics and wished there were more of them.

She urged the Club members to attend the legislative conferences, especially those near by, even though not in their own district.

Mrs. George W. St. Amant made an appeal for toys, books or games to be used for the children whom the Club will entertain at the Christmas Party.

The Juniors then sang "The Gypsy Love Song."

Refreshments and a social hour followed. Altogether the afternoon was one long to be remembered.

Auburndale Review Club

Mrs. Herbert Longfellow was hostess to the members of the Auburndale Review Club on last Tuesday morning. A report was given by the President, Mrs. Amos R. Wells, of the Legislative Meeting at Needham, also of the Board Meeting of the Newton Federation. From the Art Committee came a list of things worth seeing at the various studios, particularly prints.

The hostess, Mrs. Longfellow, was also Chairman of the morning. She illustrated her talk on "The Grand Canyon" with pictures which she had brought back from there. Mrs. George St. Amant then took the audience through the "Petrified Forests and the Painted Desert of Arizona," passing about some beautiful specimens of the rock-like substance which was once wood. Mrs. Dean Hanscom closed the morning's program with a very interesting paper on the "Cliff Dwellings and the Zuni Indians."

STATE FEDERATION

INSPIRATION FROM ITS PRESIDENT, MRS. POTTER—"Life fulfills itself in love and in loving becomes immortal. With a heavenly vision set in the sky of daily life, as we seek to serve, we will come upon great happiness by way of self-forgetfulness. In the silent filtration of the divine through our daily efforts, all our pulses of life are kept steadily beating. The high service of love is to inspire. Inspiration is a master motive in our work. As we feel its potency let us be generous in passing it along to those who we meet in our daily round.

"While we increasingly feel our responsibilities of our relations with others let us at thi Christmas season take heed lest our energies be swallowed up in indefatigable labor, while carrying on the things of material purport. Rather let us keep the balance of material and the spiritual both in mind in order that our Christmas hours may be full of gladness."

No Club woman but will thrill at such words from the woman who is at the helm of our ship of Club life. Leaders we may have of ability, power, executive force, intellect, but when we find one who combines with these vision, judgment, heart, depth, and understanding of all things fine, we have elected to lead us one rare indeed, and we justly pay her homage and tribute.

Her message may be one of inspiration for our Christmastide!

RADIO. Homemakers of New England might well be the owners of the broadcasts from the State Federation each of the December Wednesday mornings over WNAC, the Shepard Stores, for these are the topics to be discussed this month: "Americanization," "Citizenship," "Art," and "Books."

AMERICANIZATION. Since this is one of the topics to be broadcasted in December, a quotation from the State Chairman, Mrs. Benjamin D. May, is timely, and may serve to set chairmen of this subject athinking as to some means to remedy the situation in their district. Certainly this would be in line with the "good will" that should be made manifest in this last month of the year.

"Do we need Americanization now that our laws in regard to immigration have become so strict?

"The Immigration Restriction Law of 1924 reduced the number of new immigrants from 60,000 to 29,000 per year. We now, today, have more than 400,000 aliens living in Massachusetts, 146,000 of whom are illiterate. The schools are reaching 30,000 of these. What about the rest? How many of them are in your town? Are you doing anything for them?"

Americanization Committees in Newton may answer, as the teacher says.

BOOKS. Also one of the radio topics, so entered into more fully. With thoughts of books as Christmas gifts, comes this wise summary of what constitute good books from Mrs. L. A. Miller, chairman of Fine Arts of the General Federation, and the test she has applied might well be the one for all purchasers at this time:

"Any book is a good book which presents ideals of life and conclusions that are wholesome and may be duplicated in our daily living, upholds the traditions of our country, makes us think a little better of our country and brings God a little nearer to the universe. Any book which makes us think cynically of our neighbor and suspiciously, and think a little less highly of life, and have a little less courage to live it, which makes us think less highly of the traditions of our country or attacks the sanctity of family life or the American home, is NOT a good book, no matter what its literary excellence may be."

Would that all readers felt this way, for there has been a tendency for tolerance of these "literary" corruptions that forebodes the crumbling of something fine in our American traditions!

COMING EVENTS

Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands

Saturday, December 4th, is the date for the next meeting of the Shakespeare Club, when their always enjoyable Quiz is to be upon the IVth and Vth Acts of Othello. Miss Mary L. Sweeney is the leader on that day, and Mrs. W. E. Moore, secretary of the Club, and one of its busiest members in Club interests, proves once more this statement by being its gracious hostess at her home, 55 Hillside road.

Newton Upper Falls Woman's Club

Mrs. Raymond Capobianco, Director of the Newton Upper Falls Woman's Club and the chairman of Hospitality, lives up to her committee name in having the honor and joy of arranging the next meeting of the Club, a Christmas Party. Monday evening, December 6th, at 7.30 o'clock the business meeting will be followed by this festivity at the Club Room of the Emerson School. Music and refreshments, good cheer and holiday cordiality will make the evening one more of the memorable events of this season.

Waban Woman's Club

The same day, the 6th, marks the second of the attractive trips scheduled by the Waban Woman's Club for members to the Museum of Fine Arts. Club women are realizing more and more how sociable and fascinating can be made these groups that set forth for a day of feasting and frolic and finding. Not only is there the knowledge to be gained in viewing the many attractive, quaint, indicative of nations and customs, and amazing exhibits collected in such a spot,—treasure trove in arousing dreams of those romantic lands from which many come—but there is the social pleasure of visiting on the journey thither and homeward, and the close companionship that is engendered from a bit of lunch together. The Class meets at 2 o'clock at the Museum, a lecture on "Tapestry and Rugs" is to be given for their benefit at 2.30, and then tea will be served in the Museum Lunch Room for 35 cents. Those who are planning to attend are asked to notify Mrs. Chester Churchill, Tel. 0264-W.

Christian Era Study Club

Continuing their delightful study of "The War of American Independence," the Christian Era Study Club will on December 6th learn about the "Responsibility for the Final Break" between "the states" as they came to be called before long, and England, from Mrs. Arthur W. Desoe, and they will then learn about those next significant events, so dear to the hearts of those who boast of Massachusetts birthplace, "Concord, Lexington and Bunker Hill," from Mrs. S. H. Selloy. The hostess for the meeting of that date is Miss Blanche M. Noyes, 16 Williston road.

C. S. L. S. of Newton Highlands

Alas, for the best laid plans of men—and women—to vary the quotation! The visit to Fenway Court, so eagerly looked forward to by the members of the C. L. S. C., scheduled for Tuesday, the 30th, was drowned in the deluge of rain that dampened the ardor of explorers to this fascinating country, and the trip has had to be indefinitely postponed, awaiting less hurried days, more kindly skies, and other plans of mortals and elements. The only consolation over the postponed luncheon parties and rambles through foreign lands, by proxy, is that there will some time be the announcement that this visit will take place.

Newton Highlands Woman's Club

Dramatics will take the place of the usual lecture at the meeting Tuesday, the 7th, of the Newton Highlands Woman's Club, and it is expected husbands of members will be out in force to watch with interest what the amateur Thespians are to produce. Last year, a highly successful professional entertainment was presented on Dramatic Day, but the return this season to local talent is welcomed, as more interest attaches to what one's friends will do before the footlights

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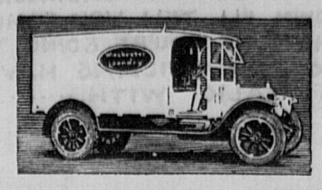
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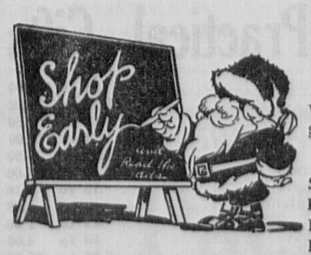
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SCHOOL NOTES

Mason

In connection with their science work, Rooms 11 and 12 had a very interesting visit to the boiler room on Monday. Mr. Price explained every part of the heater and ventilator, and even demonstrated the use of the safety valve. In this matter the classes received first-hand information on how the building is supplied with fresh warm air.

The class officers of Grade Eight are as follows: President, Norman Adams; Vice-President, Betty Tucker; Secretary, Patience Wedger; Treasurer, Leonard Shaw. Some splendid assemblies are expected by the class.

Stearns School

The pupils of the upper grade classes entertained at assembly on Wednesday preceding the Thanksgiving recess. Music, plays, songs, and dances composed the gist of the entertainment and much credit is given to our young participants for selecting, arranging ad executing the parts.

A chorus of a hundred voices opened the program with the song "The Breaking Waves Dashed High." "The Landing on the Morrow" by Miss Stoddard's class included prayers for preservation and for strength to endure in the New World. "The First Thanksgiving," with harvest songs and dances came as a joyful climax.

The physical examinations are disclosing many interesting improvements. The children have been eager to take the advice of the school physician and nurse in regard to teeth, tonsils, adenoids, posture and nutrition with the result that a fifty per cent gain has been made in general good health since last year.

Reports indicate that the Thanksgiving recess was spent most profitably by all. A number of our teachers visited out of town. Mr. Winslow motored to Brewster on the Cape; Miss Larsen to New York, Miss Stearns and Mr. Lewis to Maine.

Much discussion is going on these days of multiple books, magazines and papers on what constitutes a well read man. It is safe to assume that he must know the great masters in literature, read something of science, biography, history and the Bible and inform himself regarding the affairs of the day.

The amount of professional reading he should do has not been satisfactorily solved by any one group; suffice to say, he must know his job and the teacher, ever mindful of this fact, reads many of the professional books and magazines of the hour.

Not long ago a noted lecturer criticized educators for their ignorance regarding the popular fiction of the day. She remarked that the paper covered dime novel had disguised itself and was appearing in neatly bound volumes as fiction; that youth is reading it with disastrous results to morals.

Angier School

The Wednesday assembly was in charge of Mrs. Leavitt's class. Lantern slides of the "First Days in Plymouth" were shown. The following pupils participated in the program: Virginia Heathcote, Marcia Fallon, Charlotte Root, Viola St. Lawrence, Marjorie Mosser, James Bierer, Elliott Rogers, Hugh Munroe, Aldrich Prouty, Helen MacLaury, and Carolyn Gilpin.

In our news items of last week an error was made in stating that this was the first year that all the teachers of the Angier School had been members of the National Education Association, because last year the school had 100 per cent membership. It is the first time, however, that the Honor Medal has been received.

The Angier School soccer team was defeated by the Burr School 2-1 last Saturday morning.

On Tuesday Miss Lattimer presented some new aspects of the health problem to the teachers.

The kindergarten has a membership of fifty-two and of this this number forty-eight were present on Tuesday. Fine, for a rainy day!

Miss O'Connor took her 7th grade to the Museum at Jamaica Plain where they heard a wonderfully interesting lecture on the Metropolitan Water System and the Newton Water Supply.

Barbara Hall is again to represent the Angier School at the spelling-match broadcasted by W. E. E. I. in December 2.

Ralph Waldo Emerson School

These pupils in grades seven and eight made the necessary standing on the report cards for the first period to entitle them to enrollment on the Honor List: Grade 8—Esther Batey, Margaret Burns, Clentina Panella, and Harold Strombom; Grade 7—Harvey Preble, Stanley Wood, Warren Springer, Lucy Batey, Della Fisher, Mary Herlihy, Priscilla Sawyer and Joseph Gustonoski.

Miss Horgan's class has enjoyed two recent lantern lectures one on "Africa," the other on "Japan."

The entire school greatly enjoyed the delightful hall program on the Wednesday morning before Thanksgiving.

Louis Bilski entertained the school at an assembly period with a selection on the violin, and a collection of Memory Gems was given by pupils from grade five.

Lasell

In keeping with the Thanksgiving spirit, on Wednesday morning, November 24, the students each brought gifts to chapel which were packed in boxes and sent to the Morgan Memorial, Union Rescue Mission and the Merrimack Mission.

Dr. Leon H. Vincent will give a second lecture on Friday afternoon at 4.30 in Bragdon Hall, his subject being "The New Poetry: Wordsworth and Coleridge."

Rev. C. W. Dunham of the Pilgrim Congregational Church in Dorchester will have charge of the vesper service on Sunday evening at 6.15 in the Chapel.

Much enthusiasm is being shown in the forming of the basket ball teams, and the students are looking forward with interest to the interclass games, practice for which has just commenced.

All Newton Music School, Inc.

A pupils' recital will be held at the Peirce School, West Newton on Friday evening, December 10th at 7.30 o'clock. Christmas music will be part of the program with the usual violin, piano and vocal solos and ensemble music. Pupils, parents and their friends, as well as those interested in the work of the School are cordially invited to attend.

Christmas vacation for the Music School begins on Saturday, December 18th and lessons will begin on Jan. 4th, 1927.

F. A. Day Junior High

Wednesday morning's Assembly, November 24th, marked the beginning of a new music plan for assemblies. Heretofore the classes have been entering the hall to the strains of Miss Hinckley's music. At the last faculty meeting, it was voted to put Miss Hinckley in charge of a committee who should vary the plans for the morning music. Judith Andress played the piano and Charlotte Andress played the violin both before and at the close of the exercises.

Reginald Bankhart, in full Scout regalia, read the Governor's proclamation very impressively and the school sang the Doxology.

Miss Hackett is in charge of the ninth grade Dramatic Club the members of which call themselves "The Masqueraders." The first production of the year was in the form of a Thanksgiving fantasy called "When Romance Lived." The scene is laid in Beth's living room. The time is early evenig. The dramatis personae were as follows: Prologue, Jeannette Cain; John Alden, William Loud; Priscilla, Eleanor Brown; four school girls: Betty, Claire Buswell; Mary, Bessie Shelman; Nan, Mary Masse; Fran, Rosamond Bowen; Minuet Dancers, Grace Taylor, Louise Kimball, Perez Howard, Raymond Blair.

The play was concerned with the return of John and Priscilla for one magic hour. They come to visit four school girls who are busily studying their "Courtship of Myles Standish" and expressing the desire that they might see John and Priscilla and that they themselves might have lived in those good old days.

As is always true with every play which Miss Hackett manages, the performance went off smoothly and was very finished as to its attention to detail.

Special mention might be made of the skill with which Mary Masse handled her part of the carefree slangster and of the ease and grace of the dancing of Raymond Blair and his partner, Louise Kimball. Because special mention is given does not detract from the fact that every one did very well.

The audience was highly appreciative of the first play put on this year at the Junior High.

W. C. T. U.

The Evangelistic meeting of the West Newton W. C. T. U. will be Monday evening, Dec. 6th at the home of Mrs. J. Cheever Carley, 27 Eliot avenue. The speaker, Mrs. P. M. Wood, will take for her subject "Faithfulness."

Mrs. Margaret Carley, Mrs. Dora Sartwell and Mrs. Bertha Dinsmore are the hostesses.

FORMER RESIDENT KILLED

Mr. John B. Canfield, a former native and well known resident of Newton, was killed Wednesday night by a street railway car in Springfield. Mr. Canfield was 57 years of age and had resided in Springfield for the past 16 years.

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Chicken baskets, goodies, and cash were given by Mrs. Charles Myers of Newtonville; Mrs. Maynard Hutchinson, West Newton; Mrs. Sadie Calder, Newtonville; Mrs. Bertrand E. Taylor, Newton Centre; Mission Circle, Sunday School, also Ladies Aid of the Newton Universalist Society; Intermediate and Primary Departments of the Sunday School of the Auburndale Congregational Church; the Sunday School of the Congregational Church, Newton Highlands; the Sunday School of the Union Church, Waban; the Epworth League—also Mrs. Clayton's Sunday School Class, Methodist Episcopal Church, Newtonville; the Immanuel Baptist Church, Newton; the Newton Ladies' Home Circle; the Juniors of the Auburndale Woman's Club; Sorority of Kappa Omega Phi; Girl Scouts—Troops 10 and 23; Miss Wetherbee, Senior English Class, Newton High School; Newton Chapter Order of De Molay; Chestnut Hill School.

Collections of cash, fruit, vegetables, canned goods, and all sorts of Thanksgiving good cheer were made from the following public schools: Horace Mann, Pierce, Adams, Underwood, Burr, Williams, Mason, and Claflin.

For the Rotary Club of Newton, Mr. Archie Osgood, President of the Garden City Laundry Company, generously lent a truck and two men to make the collections at the schools and delivery at the rooms of the Welfare Bureau, and later 10 youths from the Boy Scouts, Troop 1, Newtonville, cooperated with four members of the Blue Triangle Club of the Y. W. C. A., in packing the good things into the burlap bags provided by the Welfare Bureau; and on the following morning the Rotary Club, through Mr. Osgood of the Garden City Laundry Company, took the entire responsibility for the delivery of the bags into the various families by lending two trucks and four men.

CHRISTMAS SEALS

The following amounts have been received in the various villages during the first week of the Christmas Seals Sale in Newton:

Chestnut Hill	$181.00
West Newton	112.00
Auburndale	110.00
Waban	104.25
Newtonville	83.50
Newton Highlands	65.26
Newton Centre	57.00
Newton (unreported)	
Newton Lower Falls (unreported)	
Newton Upper Falls (unreported)	
	$713.01

BAZAAR

Among the many delightful plans for the Bazaar under the auspices of the American Legion Auxiliary, to be held on Friday and Saturday, December 10th and 11th at Dennison Hall, Newtonville, no other feature will so delight the boys and girls of Newton as the visit of "Big Brother" Bob Emery of the W. E. E. I. radio broadcasting station of Boston, Massachusetts, who is to attend the Bazaar on Saturday at 3 o'clock to meet the many members of his Big Brother Club who will be there to give him a cordial greeting. It is hoped all the grown ups too will come and assist to make this Bazaar a wonderful success as it is for the benefit of the many activities of the Auxiliary and the welfare work, also general maintenance that it may carry on for the World War veterans and their families.

A good supper will be served each evening from 6 to 8 o'clock. Music for dancing on Saturday evening.

There will be a skilled fortune teller on hand each evening to unveil the future.

A mystery booth, candy, home-made and otherwise, pop corn, useful and fancy articles, aprons, Christmas cards, books, old and new, infants' and children's things, cooked foods, groceries, vegetables, ice cream, cake, tonics, a "Rummage-White Elephant Table," are features of the Bazaar.

Be sure to plan for the children to meet Big Brother! And enjoy a children's special matinee.

The Bazaar is worked for by "A Committee of the Whole," meaning each member of the organization is to serve.

NEWTON HOSPITAL

Week ending Nov. 27:—Patients in hospital, 131; patients paying as much as cost of care or more, 73; patients paying less than cost of care, 24; free patients, including babies, 34; patients treated by out patient department, 105; patients treated at eye clinic, 7; accident cases, 7; babies born, girls 6, boys 8; social service calls at hospital 5, at homes 5; patients transferred by social service car, 10.

If any of the sewing societies of Newton would like to do some sewing for the hospital the hospital has some which it would be very glad to have done.

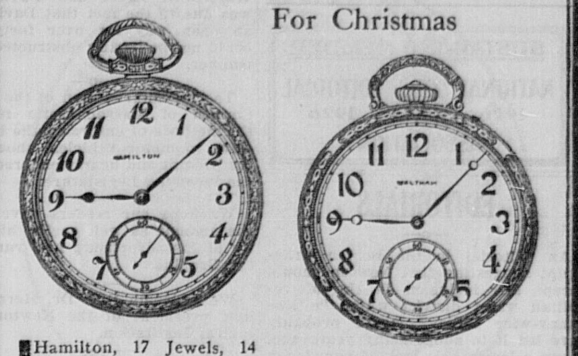
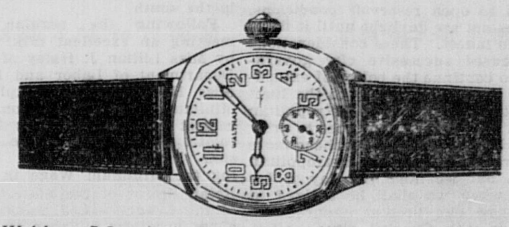
Many of the nurses of the training school enjoyed the Rainbow Review which was given last week at the Newton High School for the benefit of the hospital fund.

The hospital family last week were delightfully surprised by a gift from Mrs. Richard Saltonstall of a number of mince and pumpkin pies and some gorgeous chrysanthemums from a fair held in Chestnut Hill.

Miss Vera Houston spent the recent week end in New York.

Miss Mary M. Riddle was the speaker at this week's meeting of the Newton Nurses' Alumnae Association. Miss Riddle's topic was "The Standard Code of Ethics." At the meeting Miss Hughjean McAfee presided in the absence of the president, Miss Doris P. Reed.

The hospital has received for its library twenty three books of fiction from Mrs. A. M. Allen of Newton Corner. It has also received several gifts of flowers and of old white cloths for which it is always in need.

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Hamilton, 17 Jewels, 14 Kt. White (or Green) Gold Filled, $50.
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One gift that would add to the attractiveness of Founders is a small tree or plant that could be placed on the stand in the center of the main floor.

STEARNS SCHOOL CENTRE BAZAAR

Stuffed dogs and cats and Italian embroidery, done by the Italian girls of the Centre, will be some of the interesting and unusual articles for sale at the bazaar to be held in the store at the corner of Washington and Channing streets, on Dec. 4.

NEWTON DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION

Miss Elizabeth Ross, who has been with the Newton District Nursing Association for the past two years as Superintendent, has resigned and is leaving the Association about the tenth of December. Miss Ross has been very active in all types of Health and Social Service work in Newton, and will be very much missed by her co-workers and friends.

Miss Olive Elliot, a graduate of the Newton Hospital, who has been in East Bridgewater with the Red Cross, will take Miss Ross's place as Superintendent.

D. A. R. MEETING

The November meeting of the Lydia PartridgeWhiting Chapter D. A. R. of Newton Highlands was held on the 30th with Mrs. Anna Dodge at 130 Lincoln street. Notice was given of the Christmas party to be held at the home of Mrs. Scott Emery on December 14. At the close of the business session, an informal lecture was delivered by Mrs. Ann Phillips of Jamaica Plain. Mrs. Phillips took for her subject, "So You're Going to London," and delighted her audience with many happily selected reminiscences of her sojourn in England. Mrs. Alice Weeks furnished several groups of piano solos. During the social hour, refreshments were served by Mrs. Dodge assisted by Miss Emily Fanning, Mrs. William Bicknell, Mrs. Myron Cudworth and Miss Anna Thompson.

HUNNEWELL CLUB

A vaudeville entertainment is being planned for next Tuesday evening, with a most interesting program.

ROTARY CLUB

Messrs. Earl G. Manning and Charles Gilman gave the Newton Rotary Club an enjoyable as well as an instructive entertainment at the weekly luncheon held as usual Monday noon at the Woodland Golf Club.

Both these gentlemen are high grade life insurance salesmen and gave a realistic exhibition of how to sell life insurance. Mr. Manning was the salesman and Mr. Gilman the prospect. Mr. Manning first went thru the motions of reaching Mr. Gilman over the telephone, arranging for an interview, etc. Mr. Gilman's caustic and antagonistic objections to buying life insurance were most entertaining and the manner in which Mr. Manning answered him was a revelation of good salesmanship. Incidentally the thought was brought out that every business man should make his will.

SHOEMAKER-WHEELOCK

The wedding of Miss Katherine May Wheelock, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace M. Wheelock of Highland street, West Newton, and Mr. J. Warren Shoemaker of Philadelphia took place Saturday evening in the Second Church, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Dr. J. Edgar Park, a former minister of the church.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was Miss Elizabeth Boutelle of Waterville, Me., and the other attendants were Miss Katherine Boutelle, also of Waterville; Mrs. Albert Zimmerman of Philadelphia; Miss Nancy Wheelock, a cousin, and Miss Eleanor Warren.

The bridegroom had his brother, Theodore Shoemaker, for his best man, and the ushers were Albert Zimmerman, Allen Anderson, William Steible and Warren Davis, all of Philadelphia; also Robert Shoemaker, another brother; Ross Powell, Schuyler Dillon and Richard Warren. Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Brae-Burn Country Club.

The bride was presented with the 1920-21 goup of debutantes, and is a member of the Junior League. Mr. Shoemaker was of the class of 1920 of the University of Pennsylvania. For the past two years he has been in Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker will make their home in Cambridge.

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EDITORIALS

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An editorial in the Boston Transcript suggesting that Newton should accept full inclusion in the Metropolitan water district which "a less penny-wise Policy" would probably have led it to adopt many years ago, shows a lamentable lack of knowledge of Newton's affairs. In the first place Newton is an active part of the metropolitan water system, having entered as one of the original municipalities and retaining membership by the payment of annual assessments. Newton today can demand full service from the Metropolitan water district. We have not done so, because our water supply has always been considered far superior to that of the Metropolitan district, as it is a water that is not exposed to open reservoir conditions, and does not see daylight until it flows from the faucet. These considerations have caused successive city governments to continue the policy of extending our own water supply to the limit rather than entering the Metropolitan district. As the city continues to grow we will be compelled to purchase more and more water from the Metropolitan district, but we hope the day is far distant when we shall be obliged to discontinue our present source of supply in the Charles river valley. This may be a "penny-wise" policy, but we have our doubts if it would be so considered by impartial observers.

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We earnestly call attention this week to the article on the new Branch Library at West Newton and to the splendid work of the ladies who initiated and carried thru that civic enterprize.

This achievement of the residents of West Newton should be a stimulus and inspiration to the people of Newton Centre to go and do likewise.

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We don't want to be unduly pessimistic but we are looking forward to our city election with expectations that only 25 per cent of the registered voters will cast their ballot. The indifference of the average citizen to his civic duties is most appalling when one realizes what might happen because of that neglect.

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We are informed that the reason the low stone wall was not constructed by the Fuller Garage at the corner of Watertown street and Davis Court, was due to the fact that Davis Court, an open way for over forty years, could not be legally obstructed in this manner.

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The recommendation of the Judicial Council of Massachusetts regarding the methods of enforcing the laws relative to motor vehicles, should have the prompt and hearty endorsement of the incoming Legislature.

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We hope our readers have noticed the amount as well as the high quality of the advertising now running in the Graphic.

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We welcome Rev. Dr. Herrick, the new president of the Newton Theological Institution.

NEWTON LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS

The regular monthly meeting of the League was held in the rooms of the Welfare Bureau, 12 Austin St., Wednesday evening, Dec. 1.

Miss Rhoda Zeigler, vice-president of the League, acted as chairman in the absence of the president, Dr. Mary A. Willcox, who with her sister, Miss E. G. Willcox, will spend the winter in the south.

Following the regular business meeting an excellent talk was given by Miss Lillian J. Haley of the State Department of Labor and Industries. Miss Haley carefully explained the Minimum Wage Commission telling in a most interesting way its duties, and relating experiences the Commission has recently had investigating the Minimum Wage in all the Retail Stores of the State. Members of the League asked many questions about problems of labor and industry and learned many things in this discussion. The whole evening was full of interesting and first hand information about the work of this important Department of the State.

City of Newton

CITY ELECTION

City Clerk's Office, November 3, 1926.

In accordance with the provisions of the laws concerning elections, notice is hereby given that meetings of the citizens of the City of Newton, qualified to vote for city officers, will be held in the several polling places designated for the purpose by the Board of Aldermen, on

Tuesday, the Fourteenth Day of December, 1926

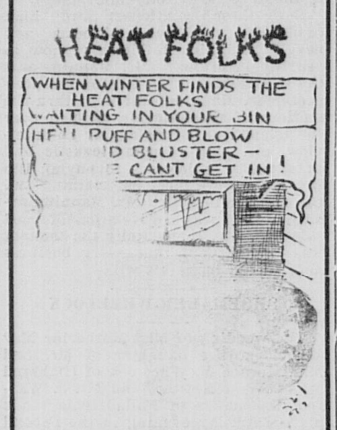
and all such citizens will on said date, in the several precincts in which they are entitled to vote, give in their votes for Seven Aldermen-at-Large, being one from each Ward, to serve for terms of two years; Three Members of the School Committee, being one each from Wards One, Four and Seven to serve for terms of three years; Seven Aldermen-by-Wards, being one from each Ward, to serve for terms of one year The Aldermen-at-Large and Members of the School Committee to be elected by the voters of the City at large, and the Aldermen-by-Wards to be elected by and from the voters of each of the seven wards. All terms of office commence on the first secular day of January, 1927.

Polling Places are at the same locations as used for the State Election.

THE POLLS AT SAID MEETINGS WILL BE OPENED AT SIX O'CLOCK A. M., AND CLOSED AT FOUR-THIRTY P. M.

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ZONING CHANGES REFUSED

Aldermen Turn Down Petitions For General Residence Zones

The Committee on Claims and Rules held a meeting Wednesday night to listen to hearings on several petitions for changes from private to general residence zones. Judge Thomas Weston, representing Mrs. Grace Whittemore asked that the land on both sides of Whittemore Rd., Newton, from Waverley avenue to Playstead road, be changed from private to general residence zone. He explained that his client can sell the land to better advantage if the setback on this land is made 15 feet, instead of 25 feet. Protests against the change were made by Arthur Hollis, F, C. Brown and P. N. Mason. Mr. Hollis related how the Whittemore property had been partly placed in the general residence zone when the ordinance was first passed, several years ago, as the aldermen at that time desired to be fair. He thought the present petition was unfair to property owners on Hunnewell Hill, and would redound injuriously to the city, if granted. Mr. Whittemore had sold much of his property along Washington street to be developed with two-family houses, until residents of that section protested and had the neighborhood on Hunnewell Hill placed in a single residence zone. To permit this other concession to Mr. Whittemore, would, in the opinion of Mr. Hollis, work injustice on many property owners. The committee recommended that the petition be given leave to withdraw.

Judge W. Lloyd Allen as attorney for Rose O'Donnell and the owners of the Brackett estate on Washington street, asked that the land between the Catholic Church property and Crafts street, on Washington street, be changed from general residence to business zone. Mrs. O'Donnell has petitioned several times for this change, and each time her petition has been refused. Objections were voiced by Martin McDonough, John Walker, Bartholomew Hayes, and James S. Cannon, appearing for Rev. Lawrence Slattery. The committee, with Alderman Madden dissenting, voted to refer this petition to next year's Board of Aldermen.

Joseph B. Jamieson petitioned that land bordered by Vernon and Eldredge streets, and land on the south side of Tremont street, east to Pembroke street, be changed from private to general residence zone. Mr. Jamieson sometime ago purchased the large Waitt estate at the corner of Vernon and Park streets, adjoining his residence. He desires to convert the large house on this property into a boarding house. Objections to his petition were raised by Walter Brownell, Clarence Allen, William Ellison, W. J. McCarthy and Attorney Dolan. Building Commissioner Chadwick told the committee that even though the petition should be granted, Mr. Jamieson cannot use the building as a boarding house unless it be altered so that it will have brick walls. The committee voted to recommend that the petition be not granted.

Lester Brett asked that he be allowed o convert a large garage on Weldon road, Newton, into a two-family house. He explained that this "garage," which was built in 1910, measures 50 by 76 feet and is too large for use as a single residence. It is on the Whittemore estate. Benjamin Curtis and Fred Fuller objected to the petition, but City Solicitor Bartlett settled the matter by informing the Aldermen that the petition cannot be granted, according to the city ordinances, because the building was used as a garage and not as a residence.

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS

Last Friday morning at the corner of Chestnut and Woodward streets, Waban, an Overland sedan driven by Robert Burofsky of Moody street, Waltham, collided with a Dodge roadster driven by Edward Taylor of Huntington avenue, Boston. Burofsky's car was tipped over and he received cuts on the head, one hand, and his right knee. His car was badly damaged.

Sunday morning at the corner of Chestnut and Highland streets, West Newton, autos driven by Benjamin Freeman of Orchard avenue, West Newton, and Harold Seeley of 1251 Washington street, collided. Seeley's Ford was tipped over and badly smashed. He received slight injuries.

Friday evening last, Charles Pike of 14 Pond avenue, Newton, while crossing Washington street, near Thornton, was hit by a car driven by Samuel Simons of Erie street, Dorchester, Pike complained of injuries to his head. He was taken to his home by Simons.

CONCERT BY NEWTON ORCHESTRA

An event looked forward to with much interest is the concert to be given on next Thursday evening, December 9th, at 8.15 at the Newton High School Hall by the reorganized First Church orchestra now known as the Newton Orchestra, D. Ralph MacLean, Conductor. Miss Gertrude Tingley, contralto, will be the soloist.

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ABOUT TOWN

Newton water was never more muddled than is the controversy over said water at the present time. About a month ago Dr. Bigelow of the State Department of Health, stated in a letter to the Water Commissioner that samples of water taken from various points in the ground supply system of this city at Needham (between July 20 and October 13, contained too much chlorine and carbonic acid. Last month residents on Langley road are bothered with water impregnated with Crenothrix and hold indignation meetings. A reporter from a Boston paper has a short story about the meeting. Next another Boston newspaper on two successive days gives the New Jersey tragedy second position to feature articles which tell the world that Newton water is not only unfit to drink, but even too polluted to bathe in. Folks in the remainder of New England must think that we Newtonians are not alone thirsty, but also dirty.

Following this startling "news" in the Boston papers, a dozen reputable Newton physicians meet in the office of the Newton Board of Health and assert that there is less intestinal disease in Newton than at almost any time on record. There are no water borne diseases in the city, nor has there been for some time. These twelve physicians agreed less than two weeks ago that "There is no immediate danger of Newton water becoming polluted." Slightly over a week ago, Mr. X. H. Goodnough, Chief Engineer of the State Board of Health, one of the most distinguished experts on water in this country, who has been requested to act in an advisory capacity in the gigantic project just started to add the Ware and Swift Rivers to the Metropolitan Water Supply, issues a statement, "that Newton water, according to an analysis made November 8, is thoroughly satisfactory and safe for public consumption." All this was related in last week's GRAPHIC. In another paragraph we noted that the two Boston papers which made such capital out of the complaints over Newton water, had inconspicuously printed Mr. Goodnough's statement.

Then as the reputation of Newton water is improving again, comes a bolt out of the clearing sky (or water). Yesterday afternoon a score of Newton physicians at a meeting of the profession at Newton Hospital, held a long confab about our aqua impura, and voted to wait on the Mayor and advise him to abandon the supply which we have used for the last 50 years, until the State Department of Health will guarantee that said supply is safe for consumption. Apparently the statement made by Mr. Goodnough was not sufficiently reassuring for the majority of the physicians present at the meeting yesterday. This latest phase of the "troubled water situation will be glad news to the owners of the various distilled and spring waters who rapidly increased their sales when the scare started over our drinking fluid. Said sales dropped off some last week. Now they will jump appreciably again.

Personally we have been drinking copiously of Newton water for about 40 years and still have confidence in it. We heard of a snake which bit a man, and then died. We don't live down by the "winegar woiks", but we seem to thrive on Newton water. Perhaps other folks have more fear of the "bugs" alleged to be in our municipal beverage. Anyhow, inasmuch as Dr. Bigelow and Mr. Goodnough said "there is no colon bacillus in Newton water" we will continue to guzzle it without stint. It tastes good to us. We admit at times it has been so off color, and so off taste, that we have temporarily desisted from quaffing it, but we blamed that on the Crenothrix, and as soon as the water resumed its normal color, we consumed it generously again. We have never balked at bathing in it, no matter how murky it was. Why should we? Don't people go to Mount Clemens, Hot Springs, French Lick Springs and other thermal resorts and pay big money to bathe in muddy and mineral impregnated water? Why kick then, when we can get similar treatment right here at home without any extra charge? And if worst comes to worst, and Newton water is declared unfit to drink, which we doubt, we will emigrate to Quebec or Ontario, where the "brown stuff" in the water is not Crenothrix. These folks who are crying for Metropolitan Water are welcome to it. Not so long ago we were motoring on a windy day by the water basin up Southboro way. A gust of wind blew a quantity of "stuff" into the water. It is asserted that water contaminated by having such impurities blown into it, is purified through the agency of the sun's rays. But after seeing the "debris" which was wafted into the Metropolitan basin that day, notwithstanding the cleansing properties ascribed to the indigo, blue, green, ultra violet, and the other rays emanating from Old Sol, we prefer to take a chance on the subterranean supply of Newton.

POLICE NEWS

At 12.22 a. m. Tuesday morning, Patrolmen Frank Feeley and John Foley, together with Motorcycle Officer McHugh, arrested Rosamund Gustafson of 429 Brookline avenue, Boston, and Philip DeLoria of 728 Commonwealth avenue, Boston, near the Community Theatre. According to the policemen, Rosamund was attempting to navigate an automobile while under the influence of liquor. Her companion, according to the police, was soused. The lady with the Nordic name, and the gentleman with the Latin name were taken to West Newton and imprisoned for the night. Their cases will be heard December 9.

Henry Baker of 69 Crafts street, Newtonville, was arrested Tuesday night by Serg. Moran and Patrolman Feeley, charged with receiving a stolen tire. He will be tried today.

Abraham Welansky of Roxbury was fined $200 on Wednesday for driving "wutiol." Abraham was also assessed $10 for being drunk. Frank Murdock, 43, of 94 Los Angeles street, was bound over to the Grand Jury by Judge Bacon on Wednesday. Murdock was arrested recently charged by Alice Delory of 85 Allison street with attempted assault.

WEST NEWTON MEMORIAL LIBRARY

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gated slate. There are brick and stone buttresses on the exterior. Leaded glass windows are used in the principal rooms.

There is a commodious vestibule at the main entrance opening directly into the main reading room, finished in brown oak, with delivery desk in the centre. One side is for adults and the other for children. There are bookcases all around and seats under the large end windows. There is a Gothic fireplace on the rear wall and a glass screen between the reading room and the work room.

The roof is supported by ornamental Gothic trusses, and the floor is covered with linoleum. Adjoining the work room at the rear is a room for the librarian.

There is a stairway in the rear which serves as an exit and also gives access to the toilets in the basement.

The basement is devoted entirely to Community purposes. There is an entrance at grade to the large community room about 30x36 feet with beamed ceiling and fireplace. There is a room for a motion picture machine under the vestibule. Adjoining the community room is a kitchen equipped in the most modern manner. In addition to the toilets already mentioned there is a heater and coal room, a committee room and a room for storage.

The floors are all of granolithic except in the community room where linoleum is used.

ALDERMANIC CONTESTS

A few contests loom up in the coming municipal election. In Ward 2, Alderman Daniel O'Connell. who has represented the Ward for the past four years, and who has gained a considerable following in all three precincts, will be opposed by Mr. Augustus L. Wakefield of Prescott street, an old resident of Newtonville. Thomas F. Hickey of Wyoming road also filed papers, but subsequently stated that he would withdraw. He had not done so up to the time the Graphic went to press, late this morning, but perhaps may before 5 o'clock this afternoon, when the time for withdrawals elapses.

In Ward 4 there are two contests. For Alderman-at-large, the present incumbent, George M. Heathcote, will be opposed by Harold T. Dougherty of Auburndale, the former librarian, and Howard Murphy of Lower Falls. The real fight in this contest will be between Mr. Heathcote and Mr. Dougherty, as Mr. Murphy is a newcomer to the city and little known. Mr. Heathcote has been the outstanding minority member of the aldermen for the past few years, and his defeat would not cause grief to several of his fellow members. He has, however, a large following throughout the city, and will be a hard men to eliminate. Albert L. Cole, a former Newton policeman, who has several times been an unsuccessful candidate for Ward Alderman, will again oppose William M. Noone, who seeks re-election.

In Ward 5, Mr. Charles L. Favinger, who runs for a second term, will be opposed by Willard McKenzie of Richardson road, Upper Falls. Mr. Favinger should win easily.

THE WATER SUPPLY

A meeting of the physicians of Newton, twenty in number, was held at the Newton Hospital yesterday afternoon. The condition of the water supply of the city was freely discussed. It was finally decided that the physicians in a body should wait upon the Mayor and recommend to him that the present local water supply on the banks of the Charles River be abandoned, until such time as a safe supply of water can be guaranteed by the State Department of Public Health.

(Editor's Note—In the face of recent repeated analysis by the State Board and the statement of Mr. Goodnough, its Chief Engineer, that Newton water is safe, we fail to understand this action of a small group of physicians).

CITY HALL NOTES

Wednesday afternoon the employees of City Hall assembled in the large committee room and presented Street Commissioner George E. Stuart and his wife, with a set of valuable glass ware. The collection included drinking glasses on many varieties. The presentation was made by Mayor Childs. Mr. Stuart, who was completely surprised, expressed his deep appreciation for the manifestation of friendship on the part of his associates, and invited all to enjoy the hospitality of his home. He told the donors that anytime they came, he will fill the glasses with "pure Newton water."

BIRTHS

SPAULDING; on November 20 to Mr. and Mrs. Atherton Spaulding of 276 Woodward street, Waban, a daughter.

POLSELLI; on November 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Bernardo Polselli of 26 Beech street, Newton, a daughter.

GENTILE; on November 22 to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gentile of 45 Oak avenue, West Newton, a daughter.

COFFIN; on November 23 to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coffin of 480 Parker street, Newton Centre, a daughter.

TENNANT; on November 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tennant of 1018 Chestnut street, Upper Falls, a daughter.

DEATHS

MORAN; on November 27 at 51 Eddy street, West Newton, Patrick Moran, 84 yrs.

HORGAN; on November 26 at 62 Jackson street, Newton Centre, David Horgan, age 29 yrs.

STACKPOLE; on December 1 at 5 Taft avenue, West Newton, Mrs. Fredlena Stackpole, age 74 yrs.

SLOCUM; on December 1 at 424 Walnut street, Newtonville, Mrs. Harriet Slocum, age 75 yrs.

HAYDEN; on November 30 at 24 Pearl street, Newton, Webster Hayden, age 58 yrs.

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LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of
Eliza A. Wellington
late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.
WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Carrie W. Trowbridge of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-second day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.
And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

GATELY-MATTHEWS

The marriage of Miss Margaret H. Matthews, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Matthews of Broadway, Newtonville, and Mr. Charles H. Gately of Waltham, took place last Saturday morning at the Church of Our Lady, where the ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert Mantle.

The bride was in white georgette with the usual veil and was accompanied by her sister, Miss Kathleen Matthews. as maid of honor, wearing pale blue georgette. Dr. J. J. Larkin was best man.

A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gately being assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Matthews and Mrs. John Gately, mother of the groom.

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1 family terro cotta house, 51 Essex road, cost $80,000; Sarah Wallace, owner; D. R. Donaldson, builder.

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Newton Upper Falls

1 family frame house, 32 Keefe avenue cost 35000; Raeffale DiMichele, owner; Joseph Ferri, builder.

Newton Centre

1 family frame house, 16 Manemet road, cost $14,000; W. H. Newcomb, owner and builder.

Choral Society Concert

The Newton Choral Society gives its 14th concert Monday, December 13, at 8 p. m., at the new high school auditorium. The soloist is Olivia Cate, West Newton's brilliant young pianist, who has just returned from extended study in Europe, and has given successful concerts abroad and in Boston. The chorus will sing a fine program of part songs with Christmas features.

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Newton Highlands

—Mary Tudbury celebrated her 7th birthday on Thursday.

—The Jones family of Floral street have moved to Canterbury road.

—Mr. and Mrs. Le Roy Britton entertained at Thanksgiving dinner.

—Mr. and Mrs. Webster were at Tiverton for the Thanksgiving holiday.

—Mrs. Ruth Blacksington is recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

—Mrs. John Breck, formerly of Waban, entertains her luncheon bridge on Monday next.

—The W. C. T. U. met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Sarah P. Stevens, 1190 Boylston street.

—Mrs. John Daniels and her sister, Miss Hurley, have been spending a few days in New York.

—Miss Virginia Townsend has returned to school at Providence, having spent Thanksgiving at home.

—The second annual dancing party by the Collegiate Club was given in Lincoln Hall this (Friday) evening.

—Mrs. Frederick Johnson spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson at Southboro, Mass.

—Mrs. Florence Foster and daughter, Madeline, expect to leave for Los Angeles, Cal., next Tuesday for the winter.

—Harold Carver has returned to Brown University, having spent the Thanksgiving vacation at his home on Lake avenue.

—Mrs. H. M. Crosby of Lake avenue spent Thanksgiving with her son Mr. Paul Crosby of Demarest, New Jersey.

—The engagement is announced of Mr. Clifford W. Rust of Boylston street and Miss Constance Reade, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Reade of Ashmont.

—The Minstrel Show of the Congregational Church Bazaar in Newton Highlands being held tonight. Friday, December 3rd, will be repeated on Saturday, December 4th.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Bradford of Lake avenue spent Thanksgiving with their daughters, Mrs. Fern Hollis of Pelham Manor, N. Y., and Mrs. Stanton Rowley of Bloomfield, N. J.

—Miss Helen Elwell, who is pursuing the Secretarial Course at Howard Seminary, is spending the Thanksgiving recess with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. John H. Elwell of Brewster road.

—At the Young People's League

—At the Congregational Church Sunday morning, December 5th, Prof. H. Augustine Smith, Director of Fine Arts and Religion at Boston University, will speak on "The Mystery of the Hymn Book."

meeting last Sunday evening at the Congregational Church, a lecture was given by Dr. R. M. Atwater on "Yale in China." The lecture was illustrated by moving pictures.

—The Newton Highlands Men's Club are planning a red letter day for the boys and girls of that village on December 14th in the auditorium of the Congregational Church. Mayor Edwin O. Childs will speak and there will be an entertainment by Springer the magician.

—A Bazaar is being held by the Ladies of the Congregational Church today (Friday) afternoon and evening. Many fancy and useful articles are on sale, refreshments served and a minstrel show by the men of the community given in the evening, which will be repeated Saturday evening, Dec. 4th.

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Newtonville

—Next Sunday will be "Birthday" Sunday at the New Church.

—Dr. Cecil W. Clark gave his famous monologue at the Rotary Club of Fitchburg last Tuesday.

—Dr. and Mrs. D. Brewer Eddy of Kirkstall road are at the Northfield Hotel in East Northfield.

—The Men's Association of Central Church will hold a Father and Son night tomorrow evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth B. Hastings and family of Walker street spent the week end in Pawtucket, R. I.

—Call H. A. McDonnell, 6 Highland terrace, Newtonville, (Newton North 4674) for anything in the carpenter line. —Advertisement.

—Miss Elizabeth Harrington of Court street entertained a number of her friends at bridge on Saturday of last week.

—The church supper at the Methodist Church last evening was in charge of a committee directed by Mrs. E. P. McGill.

—There was a neighborhood bridge at the Newton Club last Tuesday evening and Saturday evening the club will keep open house for members and friends.

—At the December meeting next Wednesday of the Young Woman's Association of Central Church, Miss Myrtle Shane will speak on "A School in Athens."

—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Fletcher, formerly of Upland road, will be pleased to know that they are enjoying their new home in Phoenix, Ariz.

—The Ladies' Aid of the Universalist Church will hold a Food Sale in the Parish House Saturday, December 18 from 2 till 5 P. M. Mrs. S. G. Proctor, chairman.

—Mr. Alexander McClelland has returned from Saint John, New Brunswick, where he went to attend the funeral of his brother.

—Mrs. Harriet Slocum, widow of Edward T. Slocum, died Wednesday at 424 Walnut street. Her funeral was held today and burial will be at Pittsfield, Massachusetts.

—Miss Marion Sumner of Cabot street entertained at bridge on Wednesday in honor of Miss Helen McKeon of Park street, Newton. Miss McKeon leaves next week for a winter in California.

—The Ladies' Aid of the Universalist Church will hold their monthly social Thursday afternoon and evening, December 9. Aprons and homemade candies for sale. Turkey supper at 6.30. The public are cordially invited.

—Next Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock the Woman's Association of Central Church will hold a reception to the deaconesses of the church. Mrs. W. E. Strong will give an account of her foreign travel, illustrating it with sketches which she made in the Orient.

—Papers have been filed for the candidacy of Mr. Augustus L. Wakefield of Prescott street for ward alderman at the coming city election. Mr. Wakefield has been active in civic affairs for many years and has many friends who will be glad to assist his candidacy.

—Mrs. M. J. Hurney and daughter Marion, of Washington street, have returned from a five weeks' motor trip through Canada, Nova Scotia, and Newfoundland, visiting relatives in Bay of Islands. In Connor Brook, Newfoundland, they visited the largest paper mill in the world which is owned by the Newfoundland government.

—The Claflin Club held a most interesting meeting on Tuesday evening in the Methodist Church assembly room. Mrs. Marion Talboy was the speaker. These officers were elected, president, Prof. William Timbie; vice-president, Howell Dupuy; secretary, E. P. McGill; treasurer, Robert MacGregor; executive committee, Calvert Crary, William T. Rich, Stanley MacMullen, Prof. Ell, and W. A. Kieser.

—The Woman's Association of Central Church held a largely attended luncheon on Wednesday, at which Mrs. Cornelius Patton was the speaker. Mrs. Patton, who is an authority on the subject of missions, having served in several offices in the denomination, gave an interesting sketch of the merger of the various women's societies of the church and of the union of the American Board and the Woman's Board, developing the thought that Americanization must include a friendly, helpful attitude of mind on the part of the nation, the church, and the individual if it is to be truly Christian.

HUGHES-BOLES

The wedding of Mr. Cyril A. Hughes of Ricker Rd., Newton and Miss Anna V. Boles, the daughter of Mrs. B. Boles of Ashmont, took place Thanksgiving morning at St. Mark's Church, Ashmont, where the ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. William Twohig.

The nuptial mass was celebrated by Rev. Reginald R. Hughes, O. P., of Chicago, a brother of the bridegroom. Within the sanctuary was another brother, Rev. Leo Hughes, O. P.

Mr. John Boles, a brother of the bride, was best man, and Miss Veronica G. Hughes a sister of the bridegroom, was the bridesmaid.

Following a reception in the home of the bride's mother the couple left for an extended trip to New York, and upon their return will reside in the Ashmont section.

MARRIAGES

BAILEY-PETERSON; on November 27 at Watertown by Rev. E. C. Camp, Howard Bailey of 12 Baldwin street, Newton, and Jessie Peterson of Dover N. H.

Waban

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Young spent the Thanksgiving holiday in Maine.

—Mrs. J. V. Raser and family are moving back to Newton Highlands this week.

—Next Sunday is the day designated for "Every Member Canvass" in the Union Church.

—Donald Hill of Bowdoin College, spent Thanksgiving with his family on Pine Ridge Road.

—Miss Muriel Andrews will be the leader of the Young People's Forum next Sunday night.

—Mrs. George W. Southern of Alban road, was this week's hostess of the Friday Bridge Club.

—Mrs. Charles W. Brooks of Pilgrim road, is to entertain her evening bridge club next Monday.

—Mrs. Willard Scott of Beacon St., is to entertain the Paulette Caron Club next Monday afternoon.

—The Misses Florence and Mildred Durocher are taking the nurses' training at the Commonwealth Hospital.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hindenlang of Beacon street have closed their home and will spend the winter in Europe.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Whitman of Nehoiden road, entertained the Neighborhood Bridge Club last Saturday evening.

—Mr. Fred P. Hayward of Windsor road, is at Phillips House, Massachusetts General Hospital, convalescing after tonsilestomy.

—The "Organ Fund" will benefit materially from the Bazaar held at the Neighborhood Club House on Thursday of this week.

—Marjorie Banton of Newton, formerly of Carlton road, Waban, is studying at Miss Wheelock's Kindergarten Training School.

—Mrs. Reuben M. Ellis, chairman of the Civics Committee of the Woman's Club is arranging for the collection of used clothing between Dec. 6-13. This will be distributed by the Welfare Bureau.

—Mrs. Edward W. King and Mrs. Edwin J. Morse are to be at home next Tuesday afternoon when their Waban friends will have an opportunity to meet Mrs. Elmer N. Keever.

—Mr. and Mrs. Philip Sheehan of Selden Road, are hearing many compliments from the authorities at the Marlboro Hospital on the way their daughter, Helen, is taking up her duties as a nurse.

—The second of the Young People's Assemblies, under the direction of Mr. Champaign, was held at the Club House last Friday evening. The patronesses were Mrs. Henry C. Robbins and Mrs. George W. Southern.

—Last Sunday morning a short play entitled, "A Birthday Party" was given in the Union Church School; the theme of this little sketch being the observance of Golden Rule Sunday. Many of our Waban families will eat a "Golden Rule Dinner" on that day.

—The Woman's Association of the Union Church holds its regular monthly sewing meeting next Wednesday in the Parish House of the Church of the Good Shepherd. The hostess will be Mrs. R. C. Clements, and sewing for the Newton Hospital will be in charge of Mrs. C. W. Brooks.

Newton Upper Falls

—Mrs. John McGinnis of Boylston street is happy over the birth of a son.

—A Story Hour was enjoyed at the Branch Library on Thursday evening, when Mr. John Cronin of Boston was present to tell stories to children from the Fifth Grade to those of high school age.

—An entertainment comprising of moving pictures was provided to the ladies of the Stone Institute by Mrs. Morton Cobb and Mrs. George Bartlett of Newton Centre, who are the visiting ladies for the month of November.

—Rev. Mr. Eusden of the Eliot Church of Newton conducted the services at the Stone Institute last Sunday. He was accompanied by a choir of twenty ladies, who added greatly to the services with a splendid collection of hymns.

—A shower was tendered Miss Anna Peterson of High street last Friday evening by a large number of her coworkers of Carter's Manufacturing Co. Many varied and pretty gifts were given her and a jolly social evening was enjoyed.

—Employees of the Gamewell Fire Alarm Company held their annual banquet at Lincoln Hall last Monday evening. Over three hundred men were there to enjoy the excellent professional talent provided after the banquet, and the social dancing.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church held their annual Christmas Sale at Parish Hall on Thursday. Prettily decorated and festive boths heralding the Yuletide season dispensed fancy work, candies, foods, jellies, plants and magazines. A delicious bean supper was served at six-thirty after which an excellent entertainment under the direction of Mr. Herbert Kestle was provided.

REAL ESTATE

John T. Burns & Sons, Inc., report that they have sold for Mrs. Prescott Stanley Warren her beautiful concrete and tile residence at 35 Hyde avenue, Newton. The property consists of an eighteen room house with four baths, and over a half acre of land, and was built for Mrs. Warren by her father, the late Mr. Stanley of Stanley automobile fame. Mr. Louis J. Hunter has purchased for a home, and after some improvements will occupy the premises. The total valuation is $50,000.

Burns and Sons also report that they have sold for the estate of Mary J. Reid property in Newton, located at 205 Church street, consisting of two family frame home, together with stable garage and 10,500 sq. ft. of land. The property is valued by the assessors at $8,500, although the estate, which was sold at public auction, was sold for $12,450. Mary J. O'Neil buys for investment.

Burns office has also sold for Kenneth McG. Martin his single ten room house located at 20 Cloelia Terrace, in the Newtonville district. With the house there are 6600 sq. ft. of land, and the total property is valued at $11,000. John J. Hines was the purchaser and will occupy the premises.

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West Newton

—Mrs. Marion Saunders Kiley, who has been seriously ill at the Newton Hospital, is convalescing at the home of her mother.

—Miss Claire Garrison has been selected as the left half in the All-Northeastern first team in the Eastern Intercity Field Hockey competition.

—The Womens' Alliance of the Unitarian Church will hold an all day meeting next Wednesday. Mrs. Roderick Stebbins of Milton will speak on "The Diagonal Path."

—Miss Katherine Chapman Warren of New York gave a delightful dramatic recital at Miss Allen's on Tuesday. She gave selections from Lady Gregory and Shakespeare.

—Miss Lucy Wheelock of the Wheelock Kindergarten School in Boston gave an address at the Misses Allen School on Wednesday morning, upon the work of her school.

—Mrs. Fredlena Stackpole, 75, of Taft avenue, died suddenly from natural causes on Wednesday. Her funeral will be held tomorrow and burial will be in Newbury, Massachusetts.

—At the meeting next Tuesday of the Unitarian Laymen's League in the Unitarian Church parish house, Mr. Sydney A. Clark of Waban will speak on the subject "From Brazil to the French Riviera."

—The ushers at the Second Church during December are Messrs. J. S. Paine, A. C. Blunt Jr., K. E. Downs, P. R. Dunbar, W. T. Glidden Jr., Thomas Gorham, George Owen, Jr., and C. E. Pickhardt.

—The Opportunity Club of the Second Church meets Sunday evening at 7.30. Miss Ruth Hay, who was a delegate at the Women's Interdenominational Home Mission Conference at Northfield, will give a report of the conference. In addition, Miss Hay will tell of some of her experiences as feature writer for the "Newtonite."

—Patrick Moran of 51 Eddy street died last Sunday. His funeral was held Tuesday morning, a solemn requiem mass being celebrated at St. Bernard's Church. Interment was in Calvary Cemetery, Waltham. Mr. Moran, who retired from active work some years ago, made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Michael Cody. Though well over four score years of age, until his final illness, he took a walk nearly every day from his home to Watertown and return.

Auburndale

—The Auburndale Mothers' Association met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Herbert C. Mayer on Ionia street.

—Mrs. Farley, professionally known as Gertrude Ehrhart, will be the soloist at the Handel & Haydn concert on December 19 and 20. Mrs. Farley will sing a solo from "The Messiah" at the Congregational Church next Sunday.

—A special service will be held at the Church of the Messiah Commonwealth avenue and Auburn street, on Sunday evening at 7.30. Rev. Herman R. Page of St. Paul's Cathedral, Boston, will give an address on "Advancing the Line in the Great West" with special reference to the District of Spokane in which he served until recently as a missionary under his father, the Rt. Rev. Herman Page.

—The Annual Bazaar and Parish Fair will be held at The Church of the Messiah Parish House, on the afternoon and evening of December 11th. Miss Eleanor D. Adams of West Newton is general chairman in charge. Fancy Work table will be in charge of Mrs. J. I. Heibeck; Household, Mrs. G. L. Severy; Food, Mrs. George W. St. Amant; Supper, Mrs. Carl H. Chipman; Candy, Miss Adaline Hall; Handkerchiefs, Miss Lillian Scott; Men's Store, Mr. William Coulson; Side Show, Mr. Ray C. Smith; Ice Cream, Mr. C. C. Willson; Christmas Cards and Calendars, Mrs. F. V. Burton. Supper will be served from six to eight o'clock.

WEBSTER HAYDEN

Webster S. Hayden died Tuesday at his late residence, 24 Pearl street. Mr. Hayden was born 58 years ago at Quincy and came to this city 29 years ago when he purchased a grocery and provision store at Newton Corner. For many years he was one of the most successful business men in the city. He had been in poor health for some years. He was a member of the Odd Fellows and Elks. Officers of Newton Lodge of Elks conducted the ritual of that order at the late home of the deceased on Wednesday evening. His funeral services were held yesterday afternoon, Rev. Laurens MacLure officiating. Burial was in Newton Cemetery. Mr. Hayden is survived by his widow, Mrs. Hattie F. Hayden, one daughter, Mrs. Grace Mott, and a grand-daughter, Jean Mott. Mrs. Hayden has been seriously ill for several weeks.

BIRTHS

DAVIS; on November 25 to Mr. and Mr. Carl Davis, 88 Mt. Vernon street, Newtonville, a daughter.

JONES; on November 27 to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Jones, 117 Hicks street, West Newton, a daughter.

McGUINNESS; on November 23 to Mr. and Mrs. James McGuinness, 1271 Boylston street, Upper Falls, a son.

THORNTON; on November 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Thornton, 20 Byfield road, Waban, a daughter.

CICCONE; on November 27 to Mr. and Mrs. Cosmo Ciccone, 20 Willow street, a daughter.

WRIGHT; on November 28 to Mr. and Mrs. Rivarens Wright, 56 Lexington street, West Newton, a daughter.

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Newton Centre

—The Every Member Canvass of the First Church takes place next week Sunday.

—The every member canvass of the Unitarian Church takes place next Sunday afternoon.

—The Junior sale and play will take place next Friday afternoon and evening in Trinity Church parish house.

—Mr. Frank M. Furbush of Sumner street presided at the dinner of the Middlesex Bar Association on Wednesday evening.

—Mrs. E. W. Cobb, who has been ill at the Deaconess Hospital for five weeks, has returned to her home on Langley road.

—Mrs. Robert Chapin is one of those who will appear in the group of plays given by the Newton Highlands Woman's Club next week.

—The Woman's Luncheon at Trinity Church on Monday was addressed by Rev. George P. Bentley on "A Chaplain in the Hospital Ward."

—The Church School of Missions will hold a supper and meeting at the First Church next Friday evening. Rev. Dr. Herbert W. Gates will speak.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clement Kingsman, who were guests of their daughter over the Thanksgiving holidays, have returned to their home in White Plains, N. Y.

—Mrs. M. Lester Madden of Centre street is in charge of a bridge and tea, to be held tomorrow afternoon, at the Convent of the Sacred Heart at its new home on the Towle estate, Newton.

—Mr. Charles E. Kelsey has been elected vice chairman of the American Committee of the World Conference on Faith and Order and will direct the campaign in this vicinity for a fund to defray the expenses of the Conference.

—There will be a father and son banquet in the chapel of the Baptist Church next Wednesday evening. Dr. DeWitt G. Wilcox will be the toastmaster, Mr. Gilbert H. Roehrig of the Boston Y. M. C. A. will speak and a charter will be presented to the new Boy Scout troop.

—Henri Rolff, Russian baritone, formerly with the Boston Grand Opera Company, will sing Sunday night, in Trinity Church, the aria "Arm, Arm, Ye Brave!" from Handel's "Judas Maccabacus." Rev. Edward T. Sullivan, the rector, will be the preacher. His subject will be "The Hidden Cost of Conduct."

—The Hale Union will meet at the Unitarian Church Sunday at 6.15. A most attractive program has been arranged. On December 10, under the auspices of the Hale Union, a social and Dance will be held in the Parish House. Young people of other Churches have been invited to participate. Great interest has been shown in the three Vesper Services of the winter, at the Unitarian Church, to which the public is cordially invited. The first one will be held on December 19. The other two are on February 6and March 6.

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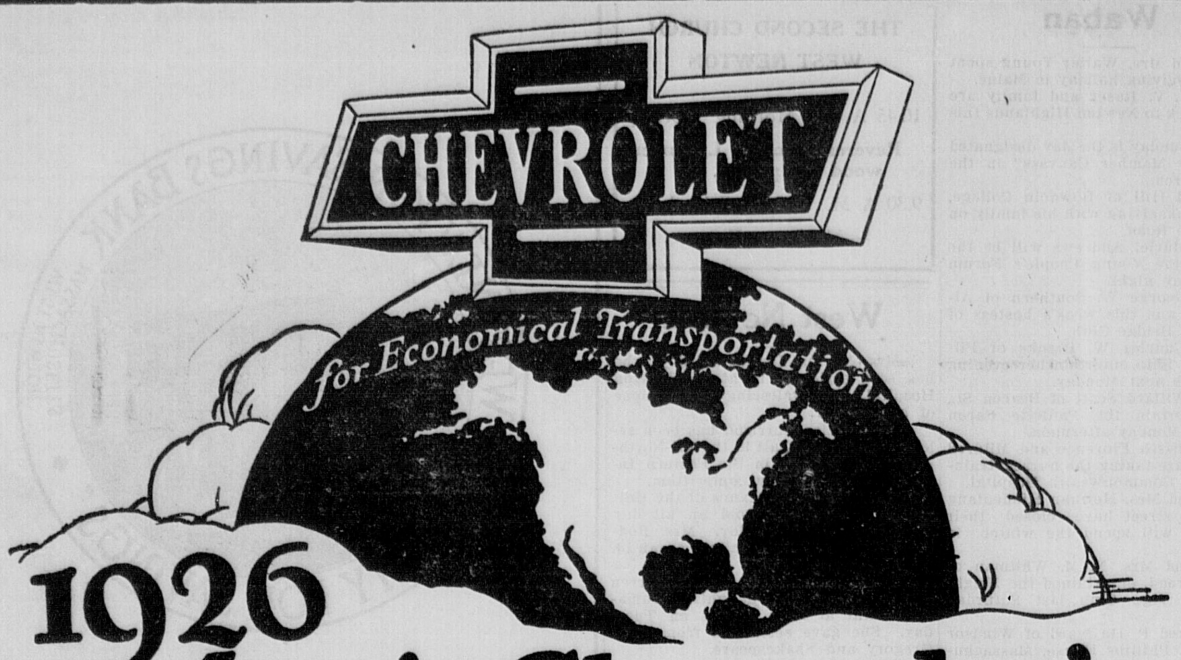
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The white lights lately placed along Washington street, West Newton, are such an improvement over the old type arc lamps, that citizens are advocating replacing all the arc lights along Washington street with the more modern type.

Some of the cars of the Middlesex & Boston have been painted with colors resembling those used on these cars 25 or more years ago.

It is peculiar that the day before the first "news" appeared in big headlines in a Boston paper "that Newton's water is not only not fit to drink, but even unfit to take a bath in," a prominent Newton druggist remarked to us, "Newton water is much better since the mains were cleaned." We agreed with him. A couple of days ago we met George Brophy and Patrolman William Kiley in West Newton. Officer Kiley admitted he drinks about 15 glasses of Newton water every day, and has been drinking said water for 50 years. Of course "Bill" did not drink so much of the water during the first year or two of his life. Persons who contend that Newton water is unhealthy should see "Bill." He has a complexion that a school girl would envy. There is nothing delicate looking about Officer Kiley.

We have the opinion, and we have resided in Newton much longer than most of the persons who urge that the water for this city be taken from the Metropolitan supply, that if a referendum should be voted upon, at least 80 per cent of the voters of this city would ballot to retain the present supply.

Greater Boston newspapers devoted columns of space to articles alleging that Newton's water is unfit either to drink or to bathe in. One paper featured this "news" on its front page. But a statement from Mr. Goodenough, Chief Engineer of the State Board of Health, telling that Newton water is "O. K.," was limited to a space of about a dozen lines, tucked away on an inside page. On certain streets in the city, residents are having trouble with the city water. An Auburndale resident informed us this week that the water supplied to his house frequently contains much rusty sediment and is unfit for use. He lives on a new street supplied through a small dead-end main. Undoubtedly the special committee of the Aldermen studying the water situation will correct such cases as this as soon as possible.

The gold fish said to have been killed by the "pollution" in the Newton water were quite valuable. They probably were 22 carat gold fish.

Talking about goldfish. Several years ago, before the 18th Amendment went into effect, a well known resident of Newton invited a few friends to his home one night. One of his guests was a person with a high developed sense of humor. The host prepared a lunch for his visitors. He opened a tin of sardines and made some sandwiches. Then he went to the kitchen to get the coffee. During his absence the practical joker in the party removed the sardines from the sandwich which was reserved for the host, and replaced them with several tiny goldfish which he took from a bowl on the living-room table. The host returned with the coffee and ate the goldfish sandwich, not noticing the substitution. This may sound like a "fish" story, but it is true.

Despite the fact that our zoning ordinance forbids a business being conducted in a residential zone, some persons in the city have been violating the law. Objections have not been made in most cases because these infractions have been carried on in an inconspicuous manner. But, when a new comer to the city will openly advertise a business in a West Newton residential section, the neighbors in that district can hardly be blamed for asking, "Why is this violation of the zoning ordinance permitted?"

The "open season" on deer is about with us. Next week the woods will be filled with hunters and "would be hunters." Many more of the latter than the former. It is a farce to observe how easy it is to obtain a hunting license. Any person can go to his local city or town clerk and obtain a hunting and fishing license by paying $2.25. Even aliens who are unable to read or write a word of English. No examination is given to ascertain whether the person receiving the license has any knowledge of the laws relating to hunting and fishing. No test must be passed to prove that the applicant has any knowledge of the proper use of firearms. And thus provided with a license, the "hunters" can sally forth equipped with deadly weapons in quest of bird and wild animals.

A large percentage of those obtaining hunting licenses are city bred persons who can hardly tell a heifer from a deer or a pheasant from a domestic fowl. Many who receive licenses never had any experiences with guns and have never been in the woods. It is no wonder that many birds are killed which are "protected," and it is a wonder that more persons are not killed by "hunters" who know little or nothing regarding the death dealing tools they carry and use.



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The employees of the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company held their annual banquet Monday evening in Lincoln Hall, Newton Highlands. At 6 o'clock nearly 400 employees of the company sat down to an enjoyable dinner provided by Mr. V. C. Stanley, President of the Gamewell Company. Following the meal the gathering was addressed by Mr. Stanley after which an excellent vaudeville program was furnished by professional talent. At 9 o'clock the hall was cleared for dancing which was participated in by the employees and their lady friends. Music was furnished by Hoyt's Orchestra.

CITY HALL

Building Commissioner Chadwick reports 149 permits issued in November of which 41 were for single dwellings valued at $506,805 and 12 were for double dwellings valued at $127,305. The total valuation was $852,565.

NEWS FROM THE COLLEGES

By Harold P. Carver, N. H. S. '26

The Newton delegation at Mount Holyoke is so large that for another week we must take the time and the space to relate their accomplishments and victories.

In the junior class there are two girls whom we have not mentioned previously, namely: Louise Paul and Esther Stiles. The latter comes from Newtonville. During her stay at the High School she was a member of the Spanish Club for the first two years of its existence. The organization was then in its formative state and, due in part to her interest, it became very strong and last year took its place as one of the major clubs of the school. She was also in that distinctive group that composes the Library Club and sang in the Chorus under Mr. Griffin's direction in 1924. This year marked the first real advance in the way of mass singing, and the results are clearly shown in the Outdoor Concert staged in the last days of school each year. The beauty and attractiveness of the arrangement has appealed to many, and the success of the now annual presentation has been remarkable. As for Louise Paul, her talent for dancing in all its varied forms made her leader among the students of the school who were interested in this amusement. Few will forget her rendition of the Indian maid in "White Blossom," the Senior Play o f1924, when she held the audience for some moments by her interpretive skill. In school she was a member of the English Club for three years, and in her senior terms a representative of the Forum, its allied body. Two other organizations claimed her attention, the Alpha Gamma Tau for two seasons, and Le Cercle Francais, or the French Club during her senior year. In that same year she was a writer on the Newtonian under Lawrence Peakes, who edited the finest of recent yearbooks. Sports claimed her interest but little, although she did play on the Volley Ball team her freshman year, and in much the same fashion she was a member of the now obsolete Mandolin Club for the last two years of its existence.

Margaret Raye of Newton Centre has undergone a series of mishaps since her entrance in 1924. Due to illness she lost the major portion of her sophomore year and in consequence is considered in some subjects as a junior while in others she is graded as a class lower. She passed most of her preparatory years in Norwalk, Connecticut, attending a private school in the vicinity, later she came to Newton High, and finally graduated from the Choate School for Girls in Brookline. Her chief interest lies along the line of the study of Archaeology. Because of this desire, her studying has been in that bogey of all Classical students, Latin, in which subject she has gained honors and credit for herself.

The leader of the sophomore delegation at South Hadley is Mary Reynolds of Newton Highlands. Graduating from Newton in 1923, she spent the next two years working in a hospital in Boston. Arriving at the conclusion that she would be better fitted for her work if she attended college, she brushed up on her studies and passed the College Board examinations with flying colors, in spite of her long absence away from organized study. She is one of the most popular girls in her class at Mount Holyoke, holding class office and being a delegate of her class on the all-important body known as the Student Government. The Debating Society an dits later off-spring, the Forum, held her membership card for three years at Newton. During this time she was a finalist in the Prize Speaking in 1921. In her junior year she headed the Junior Reception Committee that always prepares the festivities for the Seniors on Graduation Day, and later it has charge of the Banquet arrangements. Her final year was one of many honors, chiefly in positions of responsibility, such as the Student Council, the Senior Play Committee, and as Editor's Assistant on the Newtonian. As an actress in the Senior Play of that year she made a paratively small part real and vivid. This to such an extent that it became one of the features of Mr. F. L. Bacon's production, "My Lady Coquetry."

Among her class-mates are two Newtonites, Mary Warren and Elizabeth Miller, both of Auburndale. The first named was the creator of some of the most vivid word pictures ever written by a high school student. Usually these took the form of verse, and under the careful instruction of Miss F. M. Smith she increased her power of expression until at the end of her senior term she was writing some very creditable lyrics. As could easily be surmised, she was a member of Alpha Beta her sophomore year, which at the same time was the natal year of the group itself. Later, during her final sessions at the school, she was enrolled in the upperclass organization, the English Club. In her writing for the Newtonite she showed prowess, especially in the line of ingenuity, for she was the instigator and writer of the column known as "Their Other Side", that served to put the faculty and the student body at large on a friendlier footing. For her services she was awarded one of the most coveted honors that the school has to offer, a Newtonite charm, given as a mark of merit and as an appreciation of work well done. She also was a member of Ex Libris, the Latin Club that Miss Wallace founded recently, one of the most difficult of all similar organizations to gain membership due to the stringent scholastic requirements. In her junior year she was in the Mathematics Club, and in her final term a contributor to the Newtonian. Her neighbor, Elizabeth Miller, pursued much the same course at Newton for she was a writer on the Newtonite, and also a member of Ex Libris her last year. She excelled in the study of French, being a leader in the outside body of the same department, besides being in the first French burlesque that had ever been presented in its native tongue in Newton. She sang in the Glee Club her senior year, and also was elected to the English Club during the same term.

From the same graduating class but entering as a freshman this year due to illness is Eloise Andrews of West Newton. She belonged to Alpha Beta for two seasons and in later years to its parent organization, the English Club. Her chief bent seemed to be along the royal road of mathematics, and as a result she was in Alpha Gamma Tau for three consecutive years. The French Circle had her on their lists for two seasons and in her senior year she was one of the overseers of the Library. Politically she held positions of responsibility as she was a member of the Student Council for two years during her first terms at Newton.

NOVEMBER BUILDING PERMITS

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One-family frame house, 27 Kingston Rd., cost $12,000; B. G. Carlson, owner, Greenwood Bros., builders.

One-family brick house, 23 Fredans Rd., cost $12,000; James C. Silver, owner and builder.

One-family brick house, 126 Beethoven avenue, cost $9,000; Michael Keating, owner; John Doucette, builder.

Newton Highlands

One-family frame house, 141 Plymouth Rd., cost $14,000; Percy Jenkins, owner and builder.

One-family frame house, 124 Plymouth Rd., cost $12,000; W. B. Fellows, owner; Greenwood Bros., builders.

One-family frame house, 77 Wallace Rd., cost $5,000; John Murphy, owner and builder.

One-family frame house, 31 Mountford Rd., cost $8,000; Mary Mullen, owner; T. F. Mullen, builder.

Newton Centre

One-family frame house, 136 Jackson street, cost $9,000; Angelo Diciccio, owner; Giuseppe Madonia, builder.

One-family frame house, 132 Jackson street, cost $9,000; Angelo Diciccio, owner; Giuseppe Madonia, builder.

One-family frame house, 15 Ashton avenue, cost $10,000; H. A. Johnson, owner and builder.

One-family frame house, 72 Monadnock Rd., cost $25,000; Daniel J. Holmes, owner and builder.

One-family frame house, 46 Jackson St., cost $10,000; Beacon Bldg. Trust, owner; T. Foss, builder.

Five stores, cement and brick, 210-214 Sumner street, cost $15,000; Stuart-Marshall Realty Trust, owners; T. F. Mullen, builder.

Auburndale

One-family brick house, 244 Woodland Rd., cost $22,000; J. W. Weinberg, owner; P. F. Crosby, builder.

One-family frame house, 1629 Washington street, cost $12,000; Perrigo & Rosenblatt, owners and builders.

Newton Upper Falls

One-family frame house, 74 Cottage street, cost $6,000; T. Passanini, owner; F. Yarabelli, builder.

Brick store, 203 Eliot street, cost $6000; T. Passarini, owner; F. Yarabelli, builder.

One-family frame house, 39 Rockland Pl., cost $7,500, Ellen Eng, owner and builder.

Newton

Two-family house, 13-15 Wiltshire Rd., cost $10,000; Arley Burgess, owner and builder.

Two-family house, 9-11 Wiltshire Rd., cost $10,500; Arley Burgess, owner and builder.

Two-family house, 36 Whittemore Rd., cost $12,000; H. L. Nelson, owner and builder.

One-family frame house, 22 Howard St., cost $10,000; Lester Brett, owner and builder.

One-family frame house, 26 Howard St., cost $10,000; Lester Brett, owner and builder

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One-family brick house, 77 Walden St., cost $10,000; Charles Frey, owner; E. C. Davis, builder.

One-family brick house, 127 Linwood Ave., cost $10,000; John Tocci, owner; Bourne & Belleau, builders.

One-family frame house, 120 Trowbridge Ave., cost $14,000; E. D. Atwood, owner and builder.

Two-family frame house, 83 Withington Rd., cost $13,000; John G. McLean, owner and builder.

One-family frame house, 462 Albermarle Rd., cost $7,000; Marie Tandrey, owner; H. A. McDonnell, builder.

One-family frame house, 6 Fairfield St., cost $8,000; H. J. Perry, owner; J. C. Perry and Sons, builders.

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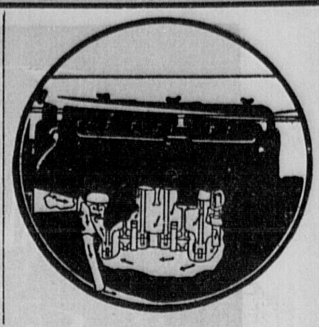
One-family brick house, 22 Randlett Park, cost $12,500; Herbert Brodrick, owner; E. P. Dougherty, builder.

One-family frame house, 12 Murray Rd., cost $5,800; H. M. Wakefield, owner; P. R. Meisner, builder.

One-family frame house, 36 Wedgewood Rd., cost $7,000; Harriet Hartford, owner; M. J. Henley, builder.

Two-family frame house, 36 Northgate Pk., cost $12,000; Rocco Lazzura, owner and builder.

One-family frame house, 161 Parmenter Rd., cost $7,500; Laura Bloomendale, owner; Carl Lilligren, builder.



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WOMEN'S CLUBS

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than does to the manner of the paid professional.

Owing to a late-in-the-season change in chairmanship of the Dramatic Committee, a long and ambitious play was not attempted this year, and instead, Mrs. E. S. Browne, the new chairman, and her committee, have chosen three short plays to be presented in the Parish House of the Congregational Church Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

"Evening Dress Indispensable," a delightful comedy, will be the first presented, with Mrs. William A. Camp, who was called in on a week's notice, playing the leading part. Those supporting her are Miss Ruth Fairchild, William F. Coan, James Colton and Miss Mildred D. Moore.

The fantasy written by a Newton Centre girl, which won the prize offered last year by the Boston Federation of Woman's Clubs, is the next on the program, under the title "When the Moon is Three-Quarters Full." The part of "The Moon" is to be taken by Miss Katherine Howes; that of the "Porcelain Shepherdess" by Mrs. Hazel Sands Welch; "The Clock" by Mrs. Robert Chapin and that of "The Portrait" by Paul Norton.

"Buying Culture," a farce first produced by the Theatre Guild of Boston, will be the concluding one-act play of the evening, and the three characters are to be played by Mrs. Henry H. Skelton, Mrs. Ben Mason, and Edwin S. Browne. Music by local talent will be given before the curtain rises and between the acts.

After the dramatics Tuesday evening, there will be a holiday recess until January 4th, when regular meetings will be resumed, and a well-known Hindoo will speak on India.

Now are the delightful days when play and plans certainly occupy all thoughts. Christmas is certainly "in the air" and Club programs prove this by kindly plans for others in trees and parties, with attendant exciting packages and attractive candies and goodies," and in the play that becomes plural, in dramatics with attendant "dressing up and making believe," a pastime that humans always have been, and always will be, inveigled into, because of their allure. Not only are the Newton Upper Falls and Newton Highlands Club Women indulging in these pleasures, but Auburdale and Newtonville are imbued with the same absorption. Both of the latter Clubs are offering as beckoning entertainment to members and guests as the former already announced to readers, as witness:

Auburndale Woman's Club

"Open Meeting" will be observed Tuesday evening, December 7th, at 8 o'clock in the Congregational Church. This is the annual meeting, open to the public, when the finest Club program of the year is shared with the community. The meeting is in conjunction with Lasell Seminary. Mr. Phidelah Rice, Dean of Leland Powers School of Boston and President of the Phidelah Rice Summer School of Vineyard Haven, who has a national reputation for clever impersonations will read "David Garrick."

That this opportunity offered so cordially to friends and guests will be eagerly accepted will be proven, doubtless, by the "full house" that will gladden the hearts of hostess organizations and the master entertainer.

Newtonville Woman's Club

The regular meeting—and yet how anything but "regular" in its new charm of Christmas atmosphere—of the Newtonville Woman's Club will be held at two-thirty on Tuesday, December 7th, at the Central Church. "The Country Cousin," by Booth Tarkington and Julian Street, will be read by Miss Margaret Ammann. Freshness of viewpoint, uncanny imagination and adroit writing are used by Mr. Tarkington, a master of technique, to make an attractive play. The author does not fall below his own artistic level in the comedy of this play. Just as in "Seventeen," "Gentle Julia" and "Monsieur Beaucaire" he couches life in terms of its fascinating little truths and dramatizes enchantingly all that comes to his net. A treat is in store for the members of the Club and their guests.

Mr. Julius Lucht, librarian of the Newton Public Library, is to give a short talk on the new and worthwhile books. Mr. Lucht has only recently come to this Library and the Club feels itself fortunate in having secured a few minutes of his time. This will be especially welcomed as timely in Christmas suggestions for gifts.

At this meeting, also, contributions of old clothes, toys, and money for the Christmas Party will be received. As usual, (how wonderful to be able to speak of such generosity and warm-heartedness with this word!) fifty thoroughly deserving children are to be selected by Miss Marion Bassett for this annual event. The committee in charge has been very busy making dresses, blouses, etc., for the children and this work will be exhibited at the meeting. This should indeed serve as a joy and inspiration to see materialized the thoughts for happiness and comfort for others, and the Club is to be congratulated upon its splendid annual mission among mankind.

Social Science Club

Dr .Walter B. Cannon will speak at the next meeting of the Social Science Club, on December 8th, at the Hunnewell Club. His subject will be, "Methods and Results of Medical Research."

Newton Centre Woman's Club

Thursday morning, December 9th, at 10.30 o'clock, members of the Newton Centre Woman's Club who are wisely keeping abreast of speeding times by attending Current Event courses, will hear Mrs. Grace Morrison Poole give her second in this series for the Club.

The Education Committee of the Club is conducting on Monday mornings, at 10.30 o'clock, also, another most important course for Club women, and a most successful Class, one in Parliamentary Law, under the direction of Mrs. Electa M. Sherman. To study this engaging topic under Mrs. Sherman is an education, not alone in the topic, but in quick wits, in humor that is delightful, and in many other characterstics worth copying. Parliamentary Law is a subject that no Club woman can afford to be ignorant upon, and certainly no woman who holds office, or may do so, has a right to accept office without being conversant with its principles and applications, for nothing can disrupt a meeting quicker than an unpoised or ignorant presiding officer of this science of business. Her meeting is helpless, however well-informed it may be, if she does not know how to extend the courtesy, and aid, and justice of her official guidance.

Speaking of Mrs. Poole and of her mastery of the art of talking before Clubs on many, many matters, reminds your Editor of the two hilarious toasts given in her honor in a frolicsome get-together recently of the officers and committees of the Brockton Woman's Club—her home town that has placed her on a pinnacle—which Newton women may enjoy knowing about. The president of the Club gave this toast:

"'We have with us tonight,'
As all toastmasters say,
What's left of Grace Poole,
And I'll say it's Okay.

Though she didn't talk there
To Geneva Grace went;
Sticking right by the League
Till her bankroll was spent.

Grace is back home and broke
But she's not a bit sore;
While the Women's Clubs live
She can earn a lot more."

And this even more lively ditty sung by the Club Choristers to the tune of "It Ain't Gonna Rain No Mo'," will be appreciated by the Club women who know the magic in Mrs. Poole's tongue:

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It gives us a thrill
We can't keep still—
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Newton Community Club

"Is Woman Suffrage Fulfilling Its Promise" is the curiosity-provoking title of an address by Mrs. Jennie Loitman Barron before the Newton Community Club for its next meeting, on the 9th. The Club meets in Underwood School Hall at 2.30 o'clock, and after the business meeting, Mrs. Barron will answer this question of her own propounding, for to those who admit that the percentage of women who vote far surpasses the per cent of men the question seems already answered in many respects. Mrs. Barron was the first mother elected to the Boston School Committee in more than twenty years. She does all the court work for the law firm in which she is associated with her husband, and has been admitted to the practice before the Supreme Court of the United States. Besides this she maintains a home. She would seem qualified to talk upon woman's place in the business and political field, therefore.

Boston Woman's Civic Club

Another intensely interesting program has been provided for the next one of the Boston Woman's Civic Club for Wednesday, the 8th, at the Hotel Brunswick, at 2.30 P. M. Well-known people, leading lights of the State Federation, come to add the glory of their ability to make this Club stand far in the forefront of Clubdom. The president herself, Mrs. May Bliss Dickinson Kimball, is by no means one of the least of the State officers who make this Club so worthwhile.

The guest of honor and principal speaker of the afternoon will be Mrs. Herbert J. Guerney, war president of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs. Mrs. Guerney, who spent several months in Europe last summer, will present vivid personal experiences of her trip, and her charming delivery and keen sense of humor are always a delight.

Mrs. Mina G. Del Castillo, music chairman of the Club, has arranged a special program of music which will include soprano solos by Mrs. Helen Edlesson Barr, and community singing led by the Club song leader, Mrs. Miner H. A. Evans.

The current events period will be in charge of Miss Gwendoline Albee, chairman of the Northeastern Division of the National Federation, and State Chairman in the Department of Press and Publicity. Miss Albee has a natural and naive way of talking that makes an audience feel at ease and enjoy every moment.

Dates of Next Meetings and Activities

December 4 Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands
December 6 Newton Upper Falls Woman's Club
December 6 Waban Woman's Club Museum Lectures
December 7 Newton Highlands Woman's Club
December 7 Christian Era Study Club.
December 7 Newtonville Woman's Club
December 7 Auburndale Woman's Club
December 8 Social Science Club
December 8 Boston Woman's Civic Club
December 9 Newton Community Club
December 9 Newton Centre Woman's Club
December 13 Monday Club of Newton Highlands
December 13 C. L. S. C. of Newton Highlands
December 13 Waban Woman's Club
December 13 Juniors of the West Newton Women's Educational Club
December 14 Auburndale Review Club
December 17 Community Service Club of West Newton, Current Events
December 17 West Newton Women's Educational Club.

CHORAL SOCIETY CONCERT

The following selections will be rendered by the Newton Choral Society at its 14th concert to be given Monday evening, December 13, at 8 o'clock at the new high school auditorium: "Break Forth O Beauteous Heavenly Light," Bach; "Marching Tune", Grainger; "I Hear the Soft Voice", Sullivan; "Chorus of Bacchantes", Gounod; "Sir Eglamore", Gardner; "The Night Has a Thousand Eyes", Nevin; "Nobody Knows De Trouble I've Seen", Burleigh; "Swansea Tune", Holst; "Jesu Bambino", Yon; "Hallelujah Chorus" from the "Mount of Olives", Beethoven.

The society is very fortunate in securing Miss Olivia Cate as its soloist. She is a product of our own city, of whom all music lovers should be proud, and with her extended study in Europe and concert experience, she gives a very interesting presentation of famous piano masterpieces.

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WORK ON STREETS AND SEWERS

Street Commissioner Stuart reports that to date there have been 18 different locations on resurfacing streets amounting to 33,110 sq. yds. The City Government appropriated $75,000.00 for this class of work. The locations are designated by His Honor, the Mayor, the City Engineer and the Street Commissioner.

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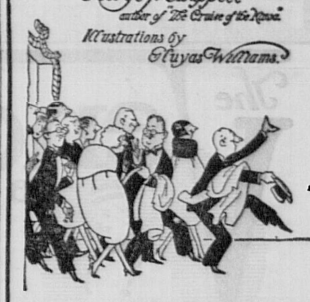
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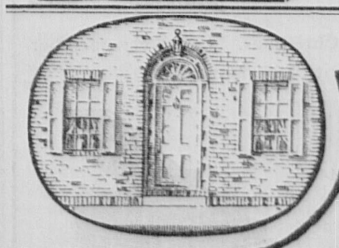
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D. R. BIRTHDAY PARTY

The Executive Board of Sarah Hull Chapter, D. R., entertained the members at a delightful birthday party at the home of Mrs. W. L. Ratcliffe, 284 Franklin street, Newton, on Thursday, Dec. 2nd, at 2.30 o'clock.

This month marks the Thirtieth Anniversary of the founding of Sarah Hull Chapter, the oldest patriotic society of its kind in Newton. It was named for Sarah Hull, who was the great granddaughter of two of the fathers of Newton, John Fuller, who came here in 1635, and Edward Jackson, who came in 1645. The posterity of these two founders far outnumbers that of any other early settler of the town. Twenty-two of their descendants served in the Revolutionary war. Sarah Hull was the wife of General Isaac Hull, whose house stood where the Newton Technical High School now stands.

Sarah Hull Chapter was fortunate in securing Dr. Garfield Morgan of Lynn as the speaker on this aniversary. His subject, "Facing Frontiers" was inspirational. The Orpheus Trio, Ruth P. Merry, piano, Edith L. Greene, violin, and Mildred E. Quitekan, played throughout the reception hour, when all had the pleasure of being presented to Dr. Morgan, the Regent, Mrs. Sidney R. Porter, and the special guests of honor, the officers of the State Society, D. R. They were: Mrs. Adeline Frances Fitts, Past Regent General, D.R.; Mrs. Adelbert Fernald, State Regent; Mrs. Myra B. Loud, Vice-Regent; Mrs. Walter C. Whitney, Rec. Secretary; Miss Emma Byam, Cor. Sec.; Mrs. Edson J. Gould, Treas.; Mrs. Walter W. Thompson, Registrar; Mrs. Henry G. Weston, Librarian; and Mrs. Elmer A. P. Phillips, District Vice Regent.

It is a matter of pride to our Chapter that three of these State Officers, the Regent, Mrs. Adelbert Fernald, the Recording Secretary, Mrs. Walter C. Whitney, and the Treasurer, Mrs. Edson J. Gould, were chosen from Sarah Hull Chapter. The ushers during the reception period were Mrs. Arthur C. Johnson, Mrs. Roland Thayer and Mrs. Raymond T. Fosgate.

Not the least interesting item of the days program was the brief resume read by Mrs. Adelbert Fernald of the history and achievements of Sarah Hull Chapter during the past 30 years.

A large birthday cake was the center of the table decorations. This cake was cut by Mrs. Alexander M. Ferris, the first Regent of the Newton Chapter. Those who poured were Mrs. John G. Godding, Miss A. Gertrude Ensign, Mrs. Oliver Fisher, and Mrs. Daniel M. Goodridge.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Two new Boy Scout Troops will have their installation next week, Troop 18 of the Baptist Church, Newton Centre and Troop 19 of the First Church, Newton Centre. Mr. Henry E. Ohler, 18 Ripley Terrace, Newton Centre, is Scoutmaster of Troop No. 18 and the Troop Committee is composed of Messrs. Wm. C. Pickersgill, Edward R. Kimball and George M. Heathcote. The Scouts for charter members, are as follows: Norman Adams, Austin Berkley, Richard Chase, Robert Lincoln, Thomas Lyons, Frank Overlees, Albert Scott, Parker Williams and Everett Winslow. It is expected the installation ceremony will be held Tuesday evening, December 7th. Meetings will be held Thursday evenings at 7.15. Troop 19 has for its Scoutmaster Rev. Myron C. Settle, Director of Religious Education of the First Congregational Church, who lives at 192 Sumner St., Newton Centre, and for a Troop Committee Messrs. W. H. Greeley, R. E. Anderson, Rev. Edward M. Noyes, Chas. Wood Bond and C. Peter Clark. The Scouts for charter members are John Boot, Edgar Center, Minot Guild, Clifford Foucar, Stanley Johnson, William Johnson, George Lowcock, Thomas Stuart, Myron Settle, Jr., Wilbur Russell and Alling Woodruff. Meetings will be held Saturday mornings at 9 o'clock.

The swimming Meet is at the Y.M.C.A., Newton, at 7.30 P.M., Saturday, Dec. 4th. There will be plenty of room in the gallery for visiting Scouts, Troop Committeemen and other interested friends. Boys under 12, unless with fathers, will not be admitted to the gallery until after 7.30 P. M.

POLICE NEWS

Peter Johnson of 35 Derby street, West Newton, who was arrested recently after his home had been raided by Serg. Mahoney and a squad of police, and a large quantity of ale seized, was again in court Tuesday on the charge of illegally manufacturing intoxicating liquor. His case was continued until December 4th. When Johnson was arrested, he was charged with keeping and exposing liquor for sale. His daughter, Mrs. Hilda Goulding, was also in court Tuesday charged with obstructing a police officer in the performance of his duty. Serg. Mahoney accuses the young woman of snatching a bottle of beer from his hand while the raid was in progress, threatening to strike him with it, and then smashing it on the floor. Her case was also continued to December 4th.

Patrolman Gaquin is not on the traffic squad of the Newton police. He is to be commended therefore for showing some activity in apprehending persons who menace their own and other citizens' lives by reckless driving. He was responsible for the appearance in court Tuesday of Elmer Parks of Lynn, and Malcolm Ramsdell of Lowell street, Waltham, who were each fined $10 for speeding. Other patrolmen who give evidences of being on the alert to safeguard traffic are Charles Feeley and John Green. Feeley had William Ahern of Allston in court Tuesday for not having proper lights on his auto. Green had Francis Getman of 73 Harding street, West Newton, in court on the same day on a similar charge. Each was fined $5. Getman took an appeal.

George Osborne of 27 Eliot street, Newton Highlands, reported to the police that some thief stole a tire from his auto Monday night, while the car was parked on Bowers street, near the Masonic Temple.

Monday evening at 5.45 police headquarters received a call to send some officers to a house on Oak avenue, West Newton, as a real disturbance was in progress there. Serg. Veduccio with Patrolmen Green and Maloney made a quick trip to the house and found that a very heated family argument had been engaged in between Mrs. Gertrude Valente of Cottage Pl., Mrs. Esther Castagnino of River St., and the latter's husband, Frank Castagnino. The three had gone to the Oak avenue house to visit a sick relative and had become engaged in an argument which waxed so violent that it developed into a small riot. Mrs. Valente has been in court on former occasions as a result of becoming involved in family brawls. Mrs. Castagnino was in court a couple of weeks ago on a larceny charge, found guilty and took an appeal. Their cases were continued until December 6th.

Thomas Brogie of 72 Tremont St., Brighton, was fined $15 by Judge Bacon Tuesday for drunkeness, and $25 for throwing glass on a public highway. He was arrested Monday afternoon at Newton Corner by Serg. Seaver and Officer Taffe.

Jack LeStefano, 14, of 54 Lincoln road, was arrested Sunday night by Patrolmen Frank Feeley and Walker charged with the larceny of an automobile tire. His case was continued to the session of the juvenile court. Feeley noticed the boy walking through Nonantum Square. Later a man named Monaghan, residing on Jefferson street, reported that his car had been jacked up and a tire stolen from it.

Adolph Scott of Brighton was sentenced to one month in the House of Correction by Judge Bacon on Monday for driving so as to endanger the lives and safety of the public. Scott appealed. He had a record of several previous convictions on various charges.

Paul Veno of 64 Dalby street reported to the police Sunday evening that a Hudson sedan had been deserted on Dalby street near his residence. The car was once stolen in Somerville from Benjamin Thacher of Arlington.

Motorcycle Officer Dowling and Patrolman King have been awarded certificates for completing courses in criminal law through the State Univerity Extension.

In court last Friday Judge Bacon fined George Selvitelli of Riverside avenue, Medford, $100 for driving while under the influence of liquor, and $20 for creating a disturbance, and $10 for drunkenness. Samuel Clevesy of the same address was fined $20 for creating a disturbance and $10 for being drunk. Officer Feeley was the complainant.

The case of William Durkee, of Waltham, arrested two weeks ago by Patrolman Joe Lyons for bootlegging, was tried by Judge Weston last Saturday. Lyons had Durkee under surveillance for some time, and when he placed him under arrest at the corner of Commonwealth avenue and Lexington street, Auburdale, he found four bottles of liquor on the Waltham man's person. He charged Durkee with keeping and exposing liquor for sale, and with illegal transportation of liquor. Durkee's attorney offered as a witness for the defence the operator of the Middlesex and Boston bus which arrived in Auburndale from Waltham just before Durkee was arrested. He testified that the defendant had not been a passenger on his bus. Judge Weston ruled that the fact that several bottles of liquor had been found on Durkee was sufficient proof of illegal transportation. On this charge he gave the defendant a sentence of one month in the House of Correction, and then suspended this sentence for one year. On the count of keeping and exposing liquor for sale, Durkee was fined $50. When Durkee was arrested, he was also charged with drunkenness. He demanded examination by a physician and Dr. Lowe was called. As a result of Dr. Lowe's testimony, Durkee was found not guilty of this charge.

Leonard Foster, the Waltham young man sentenced to the House of Correction for 15 days by Judge Bacon on November 21st, was released from the prison by Judge Bacon's order last Friday. Foster and a fellow worker in a Waltham lunch room, Norman Buckley, had been arrested by Patrolman Gaquin for annoying two young women at West Newton. The girls, Margaret Cullen and Delia Rooney, both employed as domestics, told the judge on November 21st, that they were not acquainted with the young men, and that the latter had attempted to escort them against their wishes. Last Friday the girls again appeared in court and upon being questioned by James Oates of Watertown, attorney for Buckley, they testified that they had been engaged in conversation with Buckley and Foster for about an hour, while in Waltham on the night that the young men were arrested. Judge Bacon did not reverse his finding of guilty, but placed Buckley's case on file and ordered the release of Foster, who had withdrawn his appeal on November 22nd, when he could not obtain bail.

WOMAN KILLED AT WEST NEWTON

Mrs. Nellie Bellows, 49, of 6 Iona street, Roslindale, was instantly killed Saturday afternoon in an auto crash at the corner of Commonweath avenue and Chestnut streets, West Newton. Her husband, Ernest Bellows, 52, was seriously injured, his skull being fractured. Mr. and Mrs. Bellows had spent Thanksgiving with their daughter, Mrs. Susan Tierney of Fiskdale, and she was driving them back to their home in a Marmon touring car. With her in the front seat of the car was Mrs. Ethel Pion of Southbridge. As the automobile driven by Mrs. Tierney was passing Chestnut street, on Commonwealth avenue, a Chandler car driven by Leland A. Merrihew of Burnham street, Waverley came along Chestnut street and hit the rear of the Tierney auto. The Marmon was swerved around by the force of the collision, diverted over the sidewalk into a vacant lot, and Mr. and Mrs. Bellows hurled out. The top of the woman's skull was torn off. Mrs. Tierney and Mrs. Pion were severely shaken up but escaped serious injuries. Mr. Bellows was rushed to the Newton Hospital in a small truck owned by the Brae Burn Country Club. The body of Mrs. Bellows was removed to the Hospital morgue in the police ambulance. Mrs. Tierney, Mrs. Pion and Merrihew were taken to Police Headquarters and their statements were taken verbatim by one of the stenographers. The two cars were taken to a garage for examination by inspectors from Registrar Goodwin's office. Neither car was badly damaged.

The intersection of Chestnut street and Commonwealth avenue is one of the most open in the city, the view being unobscured on all corners. An inquest on the death of Mrs. Bellows was held this week. Mrs. Bellows, who was born in Old Orchard, Maine, is survived by her husband, three married daughters and one son.

Y. W. C. A.

The women's gym class has now a sufficient enrollment to begin its course of fifteen lessons. The first meeting will be on Wednesday morning at 9.30. Particular attention will be given to posture work and there will also be plenty of snappy floor work. Miss Bennett has planned the program to fit all types of women.

Saturday, December 4, is the date of the next dance to be given in the Association rooms. Hansen's orchestra will play from eight to eleven and special dances are being arranged. Come and bring a friend.

The Blue Triangle Club members are showing much enthusiasm for the work of the winter and they are having splendid attendance at the meetings. The last meeting was of a social nature. The program included a play, directed by Miss Muriel Anderson, a volley ball game and there were tables for bridge and whist as well. At the meeting of December 6, there will be a program of Christmas stories and special music. There are also several surprizes in store. Every member is urged to be present.

The Board of Directors will hold their next regular meeting on Wednesday, December 15. Supper will be served at 6.30.

FIRE RECORD

Box 721 sounded Sunday night was for a fire in a truck at the Oak Hill Garage on Boylston street, Newton Centre. The truck was owned by John J. Casey of Mattapan.

Just after midnight Sunday, a still alarm brought Hose 8 to 113 West street, where a fire was blazing in a box of papers at the rear of the residence of Pietro Belsonti.

Sunday morning at 4.20 the Newton Centre apparatus was called on a still alarm to the residence of G. A. Benway at 529 Parker street, where a fire had started in the cellar. An overheated oil heater was the cause.

Box 85 at 8.30 Monday night was for a fire in the house at 57 Waban Hill Road, occupied by C. M. Tice. The blaze apparently started in a box of firewood and had gained much headway when the firemen arrived. It spread in between the partitions and did damage to the house and furniture that will run into the thousands.

MICHAEL CULLINAN

Michael Cullinan, for 27 years a letter carrier in this city, died suddenly of heart failure Sunday night at his home, 38 Union street, Watertown. Although not in the best of health for the past few years, Mr. Cullinan had worked steadily, and delivered his route as usual last Saturday. He was born in Waterford, Ireland, 61 years ago and became a resident of Newton over 40 years ago. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Margaret Cullinan, three daughters, Mrs. Lyn Stowell of Los Angeles, Mrs. Lester Wombacher of Sherman, California, and Miss Mary Cullinan, and two sons, Joseph Cullinan of Los Angeles and Lawrence Cullinan of Watertown.

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A comedy of pirates by Charles S. Brooks will be presented by the Women's Overseas Service League in Players' Hall the evenigs of December 16 and 17 for the purpose of raising money to carry on hospital work for disabled ex-service men and women, and also to make improvements in the women's wing of the U. S. Veterans' Hospital at Danville.

The cast includes: Mr. L. D. G. Bentley as Duke, Mr. R. A. Cunningham as Patch-eye, Mr. Stephen J. Walsh as Captain, Mrs. Elaine Ingersoll Minick as Darlin', Miss Elsie Karlson as Betsy, Miss Frieda Altman as Meg, Mr. John T. O'Callahan as Red Joe, and Mr. Ellison Day as the Sailor Captain. Music will be furnished by the Women's Overseas League Glee Club, Mr. Harry Owens, leader of orchestra, Mrs. Richard Galbraith, soloist.

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Miss Evelyn Cunningham, well known as a dramatic coach, is directing the play.

K. B. B.

Too much credit cannot be given the members of K. B. B. of St. John's Church, Newtonville. Few realize the extreme value a club of this kind is to the young people of the Community and to their church. On Friday evening, November 19th, at 8 P. M., members of this club presented "In-Laws and Outlaws," a comedy in three acts by Fannie Barnett Linsky at Players Hall, West Newton. Miss Mary Pucciarelli, violinist, Miss Doris Forte, 'cellist, and Mrs. Arthur Quimby, accompanist, furnished the musical program. This play was directed by Miss Estelle G. Marsh. The cast included Marjorie Bolster as rMs. Ned Ross; Marjorie Chapman as Ventrice; Teddy Blunt himself; Mary Olcott as Della; Katharine Nixon as Mrs. Wentworth; Eleanor Mildram as Lucille Latimer; Caroline Drew as Elsie Lord, Elizabeth Clarke as Madge Russell, Margaret Blunt as Ruth Ryder, Barbara Cobb as Elaine Winwod, Betty Rogers as Arlene Winwod, Betty Blackler as Verna Holbrook, Addra Saunders as Mrs. Edward Ross Sr., and Virginia Rogers as Miss Emma Winwood; Mrs. Pitt F. Drew, Stage and Properties; Mrs. Albert C. Blunt, Candy. Members of K. B. B. are making plans to take care of some families in need at Xmas time. Dec. 30th they will have their Christmas invitation dance.

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DORE—CHAISSON

The wedding of Miss Florence Louise Chaisson of Washington street, Newton, and Mr. William Dore of Dedham took place Thanksgiving day at the Church of Our Lady, Rev. Fr. Mantle performing the ceremony.

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—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blaisdell of Arlington St., spent the holidays with relatives in Merrimac.

—Ralph Bischoff of Nonantum street was at home from Wesleyan for the holiday and week end.

—Edward Strum of Wesleyan spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Strum of Rogers street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Channing Harwood of Middletown, Con., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Holmes of Vernon Court.

—Prof. Kirtley F. Mather of Harvard University will be the speaker at Channing Church on Laymen's Sunday, December 12th.

—Miss Natalie Whelden of Smith College spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whelden of Orchard street.

—Miss Emily Blaisdell, Miss Eleanor Clark and Miss Dorothy Fernald were at home from Wheaton for the Thanksgiving holiday.

—The many friends of Mr. Sidney Smith of Hunnewell avenue will be glad to know that he is recovering from his recent severe illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fuller of West Orange, N. J., were the guests over the holidays of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Fuller of Washington street.

—Mr. Harold Flinn, who has been very sick with pneumonia, is convalescing at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Flinn of Pembroke street.

—Mr. J. P. Murphy sailed Tuesday November 23rd on the SS Juniata of the Merchants & Miners Line from Boston to Baltimore. en route to Jacksonville, Florida.

—Mrs. John Benbow of Bellevue street has returned home after a five months' visit in Colorado and California. Her son, John, is spending the winter with his uncle in Los Angeles.

—Mr. W. F. Westcott of Elmhurst road sailed Saturday, November 27th on the SS Howard of the Merchants & Miners Lines from Boston to Baltimore, Md., en route to Jacksonville, Florida.

—Miss Grace C. Cummings of Braemore road is a member of the graduating class of the Boston School of Occupational Therapy which holds an exhibition tonight at 7 Harcourt street, Boston.

—Mrs. Morison of the Florence E. Rand Hat Shop, 433 Centre St., Newton, has just returned from New York with the newest creations in silk hats featuring the Chinese embroidery. Also, new novelties for the holiday gift shop. —Advertisement.

—Miss Katherine Lincoln, Miss Barbara Maynard, Miss Flora Hinckley, Miss Hope Gregory, Miss Portia Russell, Miss Katharyn Schrafft, Miss Mary Schofield and Miss Mary Darr formed the group of pourers at the tea on Sunday afternoon at the home on Park street, of Mr. and Mrs. George Defren, who celebrated in this way the twenty-fifth aniversary of their marriage and at the same time presented their daughter, Miss Lorraine Defren. Miss Priscilla Ball of Athol was in charge of the pourers, all of whom were Newton girls.

GIRL SCOUTS

(Continued from Page 1)

that a Girl Scout may win.

The Newton Girl Scout Leaders' Course held an out-door meeting at Camy Mary Day, on Saturday, Nov. 27th. There were 18 officers present, coming from all parts of Newton. They worked on their Second Class Fire Lighting Test, and in spite of the high wind and wet wood, a number succeeded in lighting their fires with just two matches and some sticks. It was a very cold day and the officers were glad when the time came to go to the Camp House and finish off the afternoon with hot cocoa around the open fire. The new leaders in this course will be given the tenderfoot test on December 2nd, and those that pass will be invested by Miss Freeman, the Newton Director, on December 9th.

On Wednesday evening, November 24th, Troop 14, the Senior troop in Waban, held a party in the parish rooms of the Church of the Good Shepherd. Mary Stephan was chairman of the entertainment committee, which provided games and stunts of many kinds, followed by refreshments. On Thanksgiving Day, Troops 14 and 4, as well as many other troops in other parts of the city carried baskets of food to needy families.

A new troop has been started in Newton Lower Falls, Troop 19. Its captain will be Miss Edith Monro of 122 Concord street, Newton Lower Falls. The first meeting of this troop was held at Miss Monro's house last week and 20 girls were present. After this their meetings will be held in the library every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. This is the first Troop to be started in this village, and it is hoped that it will be very successful.

The Girls' Conference of the Boston Metropolitan District will be held in Newton on January 7th, 8th, and 9th. This conference will be run entirely by the girls themselves, and will be the first thing of its kind ever held in the Eastern part of Massachusetts by any organization. Similar gatherings have been held in Springfield for three years. Three hundred delegates will be sent by the cities in the Metropolitan District and these girls will be housed and entertained in Newton for the three days of the conference. Ethel DeMille of Troop 13, Newton Centre has been elected chairman of the conference. The committee chairmen will be Janice Upham of Waban for housing, Marion Frost of Waban for transportation, and Ruth Lapham of Newtonville for publicity.

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Fancy Top of the Round	.39 lb
Extra Fancy Rump Steak	.59 lb
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Supper under the chairmanship of Mrs. Henry Urquhart was served at 6 P. M. At eight o'clock the two act play, "Ye Village Skewl of Long Ago" was presented, with Mrs. Charles Smith as director.

The tables, which were tastefully decorated, were presided over by the following ladies as chairmen:

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COMMUNITY THEATRE

"The Black Pirate" starring Douglas Fairbanks comes to the Community Theatre, Newton, for four days starting Sunday, December 5.

The other picture that is showing with "The Black Pirate," is one that is bound to please. For the first time in motion pictures, members of a championship football team serve as motion picture extras and play a game to order in "Forever After." Lloyd Hughes and Mary Astor co-star in this picture.

For the last three days of the week the Community is offering everybody's favorite, Reginald Denny in "Take It From Me."

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ARTICLE No. 2

In a preceding article, reference was made to a player in Chicago holding thirteen of a suit and the statement was made that such a hand would be held only once in about one hundred and fifty billion hands. The law of averages, however, seems to have slipped somewhere for another such hand — thirteen diamonds, this time — was held in Chicago, July 19, 1925, and is authenticated by affidavit. Why the law of averages seems to slip only in Chicago is still a mystery, but slip it does and that means that the rest of us will have to keep on holding stupid hands for many years before another player gets even a chance of holding thirteen of a suit again. The incident is not only noteworthy because of the unique holding but also because of the fact that the holder of the thirteen diamonds did not win the final declaration. Here are the hands of all four players:

	Hearts — K, 9, 5, 4, 2 Clubs — J, 10, 9, 5, 2 Diamonds — none Spades — 9, 6, 2	
Hearts — A, 10, 8, 7, 6 Clubs — A, Q, 8, 7, 6, 3 Diamonds — none Spades — 10, 4	Y A B Z	Hearts — Q, J, 3 Clubs — K, 4 Diamonds — none Spades — A, K, Q, J, 8, 7, 5, 3
	(dealer) Hearts — none Clubs — none Diamonds — A, K, Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2 Spades — none	

The dealer, Mr. John Donahoe, bid one diamond, A bid one heart, Y passed and B bid one spade. From then on B and Z bid up the hand until Z bid seven diamonds and B overbid with seven spades, even though his partner, A, had doubled both the six and seven diamond bid. Z opened the king of diamonds and if B had trumped in A's hand with the ten of spades, discarding the trey of hearts from his own hand, he could have made a grand slam. He was so excited, however, over the bidding, that he discarded a heart from A's hand and trumped in his own hand. As a result he lost his contract by one trick. It really is a most unusual hand and one for all auction players to remember. It is authenticated by affidavit so that there is no doubt as to its actual occurrence. Another interesting point in connection with it is whether or not Mr. Donahoe's bid of one diamond was the correct bid. It was either a case of one diamond or seven diamonds. If he had bid seven diamonds, A would undoubtedly have doubled and it is very questionable whether B would have bid seven spades. If you want to start an argument, ask your friends how they would have bid the hand. It is a close question but the writer is inclined to a bid of one diamond. It conceals the strength and if forced to a very high bid is more apt to force a double. A bid of seven with such a hand gives too much information. It indicates to the opponents that the bidder has an invincible hand and practically advertises: "Don't double for I can make my bid or if you want to save game, overbid and take a penalty." Think it over and discuss it with your friends.

Answer to Problem No. 1

	Hearts — Q, 5, 4, 3, 2 Clubs — A, K, 8 Diamonds — A, K, 6 Spades — 10, 9	
Hearts — A, J, 9, 8, 7 Clubs — Q, 3, 2 Diamonds — 10, 4, 3 Spades — Q, J	Y A B Z	Hearts — K, 10 Clubs — J, 10, 9, 4 Diamonds — Q, J, 9, 8 Spades — 7, 4, 3
	Hearts — 6 Clubs — 7, 6, 5 Diamonds — 7, 5, 2 Spades — A, K, 8, 6, 5, 2	

No score, first game. Z dealt and bid one spade. A passed, Y bid one no-trump, B passed and Z bid two spades. All passed and A opened the ace of hearts. He then played the queen of spades. How can Z so play the hand that he can win the balance of the tricks against any defense? Z should win the trick with the king of spades and lead the deuce of diamonds, winning the trick in Y's hand with the king. He should then lead the trey of hearts from Y's hand and trump with the deuce of spades in his own hand. He should lead the ace and eight of spades. On the sixth trick, A cannot discard a heart, for if he does, Z can set up Y's heart suit. A is forced, therefore, to discard either a diamond or a club. It makes no difference which he does for Y must discard the same suit that A does. Suppose that A discards the deuce of clubs at trick six. Y should discard the eight of clubs and B follow suit. Y should now lead the five of clubs, the suit A discarded, winning the trick in Y's hand with the king of clubs. Y should now lead the ace of clubs and follow with the queen of hearts. B should discard the nine of diamonds and Z the five of diamonds. Y should then lead the four of hearts. B should discard the ten of clubs and Z should trump with the five of spades. Z should now lead the six of spades. A cannot discard a heart for if he does, Y will discard a diamond and his heart is good. A must, therefore, discard the four of diamonds. Y should discard a heart and B is now up against the discard. If he discards the jack of diamonds, both of Y's diamonds are good. If he discards the jack of clubs, Z's seven of clubs is good. In either event, therefore, Y-Z must win the balance of the tricks. As an interesting variation, have A discard the trey of diamonds at trick six instead of the deuce of clubs. It is a clever little problem and should be carefully analyzed.

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—Mrs. Lydia Thompson of Maple avenue spent the holiday and week end with her mother in Brockton, Mass.

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—Mr. Thomas Halpin is one of the managers of the Bird Show to be held Dec. 11 and 12 at Horticultural Hall, Boston.

Miss Elizabeth Henry and Miss Margaret Henry of Nonantum street entertained several of their college friends over the week end.

—Mrs. Arthur S. Flinn of Pembroke street has returned from White Plains New York, where she has been during the illiness of her son, Mr. Harold Flinn.

—Miss A. L. Perry of Bennington street sailed Tuesday, November 30th on the SS Juanita of the Merchants & Miners Line from Boston to Baltimore, Md., en route to Jacksonville, Florida.

—Plans are being made for a dinner of the business men of this part of the city, to be held at the Hunnewell club on December 14th, at which it is hoped a permanent business organization will be formed.

—The Social Welfare Department of the Woman's Association of Eliot Church gave a musical and tea, Tuesday, Dec. 1st, from 3 to 5 o'clock. Guests of the afternoon were the women of neighboring churches. The program was in charge of Mrs. J. J. Bosdan and Mrs. Jesse Rogers and Mrs. W. E. Litchfield were tea hostesses.

TEACHER INJURED

Miss Marion Hardy, member of the faculty of the Mt. Ida school for girls, was injured Wednesday evening, when she slipped beneath the wheels of a Boston & Albany train, which she attempted to board as it was leaving the Newton station. Her foot and ankle were crushed.

Miss Hardy is 27 years of age and lives at 1050 Chester street, Campello. She has been head of the English department at Mt. Ida for some time. She left the school that evening to attend a lecture in Boston and reached the station just as the 6:58 train was leaving. She ran beside [illegible] cars for a few feet, but slipped as she was about to jump on the steps. She was taken to the hospital in an ambulance.

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Mr. and Mrs. Loveland entertained at dinner before the dance.

The hall was beautifully decorated with hundreds of balloons of green and gold and with fall fruits, vegetables and choice chrysanthemums.

Many flowers sent to the debutante banked the back of the receiving line. Mrs. Hurd, Mrs. Loveland, Miss Alice Loveland and Miss Elizabeth Loveland, a sister who was presented at a dance at the country club two years ago, received the guests.

The head usher was Mr. Richard Donham, assisted by Mr. Gilman Angier, John Fairfield, John Cross, Robert Gowing, Reed Harwood, Alfred Hartwell, Frank Soule, James Parker, David Whitney, John Whiting, Theodore Brewster, Theodore Hollander, Stanford Hopkins, Hamilton Heard, George Allen, Robert Morse, Robert Miller and Richard Bolster.

The girls at the dinner were the Misses Eleanor Perkins, Emma Dickerman, Eleanor Drinkwater, Katherine Weeks, Mildred McKey, Mary Frances Oakes, Francis Meade, Elizabeth Keyes, Janet Conway, Vera Audren, Loraine Liggett, Marguerite Sweet, Marie Brewster, Agunsta Hallett, Elizabeth Loveland.

City of Newton
City Clerk's Office

December 3, 1926.

Notice is hereby given that the Franchises & Licenses Committee of the Board of Aldermen will hold public hearings at City Hall, West Newton, on Wednesday, December 15th, 1926 at 7:45 o'clock P. M., upon the following petitions:—

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Father Tattan is familiar with the city itself but will deal particularly with its famous shrine and surroundings. A special musical program has been arranged for the occasion and the proceeds of the affair will be for the benefit of St. John's Parish of which Rev. Joseph E. Robichaud is pastor.

The lecture is intended as an appropriate mark of homage during the novena to the Immaculate Conception which is now in progress at St. John's Church.

REAL ESTATE

Frederick Wallace of Needham has sold through the Burns Agency the double frame house at 31-33 Williams street, Newton, together with 5,000 sq. ft. of land. The property, which is valued at $10,500, was purchased by Edward and Christine Bryson.

Burns and Sons also report that Adolph I. Dinner has sold to Louis Martinello a lot of land on Centre St., Newton, at the corner of Converse avenue, containing 12,000 sq. ft., and valued at $5,500.

Sadie Kostick, of Roxbury, has sold to Mary Martinello three lots of land on Chestnut street and Larchmont avenue, Waban, each containing about 9,000 sq. ft. and valued at $6,000. Burns and Sons were the brokers in this transaction also.

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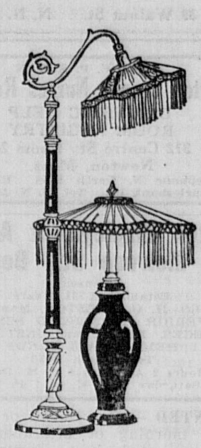
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ONE THING AND ANOTHER

Written by LEVERETT D. G. BENTLEY

I am glad and thankful, as the old ladies and others often put it, that Newton has no great murder trial to command space on the front pages of the daily newspapers. It wouldn't be any advantage to us as a city and surely nothing more or less than demoralizing to our citizenship. Newton's latest burst into the headlines was over its water supply, or at least what some people thought of it. I think those things do no harm even if exaggeration is permitted. But let's get back to murder and take up water later.

Now when a place like Somerville, N. J., has a murder trial of such wide public interest as the Hall-Mill case it must be that everything in the town is halted, at least to some extent. Naturally, things have got to go along somehow or there would be disaster, but the whole atmosphere of the town is, let us be charitable, tainted with the Hall-Mills court proceedings. What a calamity when a population has to take time off to watch the comings and goings of the court officials, the jury, the witnesses and—by no means the least numerous—the newspaper correspondents.

A town that is in the limelight under such circumstances is really up against it, although it doesn't begin to find out that fact for some time. It has been some time since I have "covered" a murder for a newspaper, but I haven't forgotten those to which I was assigned. I know that the townspeople grin when the newspaper reporters first appear, but as the days go by and the newspaper reporters remain the townspeople begin to show signs which seem to indicate they are not as hospitable as they were.

Now here is just the reason. A town doesn't mind a little publicity now and then if it doesn't last too long. When, however, papers all over the country, day in and day out, carry stories on their front pages under the dateline of that town, it gets on the nerves of the natives, especially when the subject of the dispatches happens to be a sensational murder.

I can easily imagine a resident of Somerville, N. J., receiving a letter from a cousin in Vermont from whom he had not heard in the long time. Ten to one the letter will say, "I haven't written to you in a long time but I thought I would ask you for the truth about this Hall-Mills murder, etc."

I would be willing to wager that the more thoughtful people of all classes in Somerville, N. J., wish there never had been such a case and are thoroughly sick and tired of the whole business. And I also urge Newton people to congratulate themselves they haven't any such thing as that to worry over.

I made some reference to water—Newton water. I suppose as a patriotic citizen I should hereby declare that any criticism of Newton water was both unfair and unjust and uncalled for. I know that I can tell the world that Newton water is all right and that bacterial tests have proved it. It might also be a patriotic thing to do to denounce anybody who dared say that Newton water was impure.

But I am not going to do that because in my opinion it would make this column look ridiculous. If there has been newspaper discussion of Newton water it is because Newton water, at least in appearance, has given good reason to make people talk and wonder. There were months and months when the water from the tap showed a discoloration that was most appalling in appearance although harmless enough in substance.

Now Newton has had a water problem. We might as well admit that. It isnt an'y reflection on anybody's integrity or industry when water mains become filled with rust. We might as well hold a man or woman accountable for their hair turning gray. Everybody and everythnig grows old—even water mains. And when they reach that situation they need attention.

Very well, Newton some months ago solved the difficulty, rather tardily it seems to me—and yet I have come to the conclusion that they have more time than anything else at City Hall. Well, as I say Newton did tackle the water problem and in my opinion did an excellent job in straightening out a mean condition. Consequently all danger has passed.

The whole thing is over now and it looks as if we could drink as much water as we wanted—those of us who stick to water—without worrying. Let us not forget, however, that there have been faults with the water system, for which no one individual is to blame and for which no one should be censured. We should admit a few mistakes once in a while instead of shouting our indignation, especially when it is more becoming to hold our tongues.

When Newton sees the amateur production of "The Bad Man," which the Players are to put on for their December series at Players' Hall next week, it will mean that there has been presented in Newton a New York success by a Newton playwright. Well, not exactly a Newton playwright, but one who was born and brought up in Newton and can claim this city as his old home. Having no theatre of its own for legitimate productions Newton enjoys well known Broadway hits through the medium of the highly creditable performances by the Players and other groups of equally skilled local amateurs.

This is the first time in my recollection, which is not as extensive as it might be and more or less hazy on many subjects, that Newton will gaze upon a success of the theatrical world from the hand of a favorite son. I might as well say now as at any time that I refer to Porter Emerson Brown, whose mother is a resident of Hollis street and who himself lived there when he first struck out for himself some twenty-odd years ago.

I shall not tell much about "The Bad Man," for it is too well known to need extensive comment. It was produced first in New York with Holbrook Blinn in the title role. Later Mr. Blinn was seen in it in Boston. After the usual wait the stock companies got it. Now it is available for amateurs. It's a rattling good show and you'll like it if you haven't seen it already.

Now the interesting thing about it to me is that Porter Brown probably hasn't heard that the Players are going to put it on. He will be pleasantly surprised when he receives the regular royalty that is paid him, which ought to be a source of some satisfaction at least. I remember that long ago Porter and I attended Players' performances together, for we both had the "theatre bug" as youngsters.

Also, Porter and I took our place side by side in amateur plays—not with the Players, for they weren't "casting" ambitious youths like us those days, but in more than one local affair, from melodrama to minstrelsy. I can vividly recall that Porter persuaded the management of a big amateur production in Boston that I was a comedian. They fell for it, and the result was that I appeared in a musical extravaganza for a whole week on the stage of the old Boston Theatre. It was for a well known charity so I got nothing but kind words, which meant more than a big salary.

This was to be about Porter Brown, wasn't it? Now Porter did newspaper work in Boston until he struck out for New York. Like all struggling dramatists he had pretty hard sledding for a time. Finally he got into the short story field and it wasn't long before he was turning them out for well known magazines. In fact it was that brought him to the front.

Robert Hilliard, the actor, who used to be a great favorite in his day, read one of Porter's stories in Red Book and bought the rights for dramatization. They worked together on it and produced a most acceptable vaudeville act called "Freckles." It was a story about an old Grand Army man and a waif and found favor right away.

It was about this time that Hilliard read Kipling's poem "A Fool There Was." "That's a great title," said Hilliard to Porter, "and I think the idea could be made into a play." Porter thought so, too, and set to work on the manuscript. Before many weeks had gone by Porter had written the play which I am sure many Newton people have seen—"A Fool There Was." It was a success and made Porter Emerson Brown one of the country's younger playwrights.

I am not going into a sketch of Porter's life, interesting as it might be, for so many people in Newton remember him, or should. At any rate he made good. "The Bad Man" he wrote after he had spent a lot of time in Arizona and in Mexico itself. Pancho Villa, the famous Mexican adventurer, was cutting-up pretty extensively about that time. Porter Brown knew a lot of things that Villa was doing and had done. He saw at once there was dramatic material in such a resourceful fellow. Well, that's how he came to write "The Bad Man," so that if you are in the audience next week you can think of Porter Brown, the Newton boy, and Pancho Villa, who furnished him the inspiration.

There is something which for a long time has puzzled me. I do not know if it is because I do not take long walks as often as I once did, or that conditions have actually changed. But is it, or isn't it a fact that people do not pay as much attention to sweeping off sidewalks in front of their houses?

The other day I saw a mon, a house-owner and the possessor of means, industriously pushing, or shall I say swinging, a broom in a commendable desire to clean the stretch of concrete that bordered his property. The sight somehow struck me as unusual. And yet when I began to ponder I said to myself, "People do, or at least they used to, clean their sidewalks. Has it gone out of fashion?"

And that is precisely what has me guessing at the present moment. Do residents care less than they did about appearances or do they say, "Let the city do it; we pay taxes enough!" I confess I am very much at sea.

I can distinctly recall the time when civic pride impelled the owner of property—no matter how imposing his bank account—to have a clean sidewalk. He, and she (for women are no less idealistic) had the front piazza, steps, and walk thoroughly "broomed" and then wound-up the ceremony by giving the sidewalk a complete "going-over."

Was that just an old-fashioned notion, and are the few who still cling to that custom too "fussy" for modern times?

Now I hesitate to preach, for fear I shall be put down for having celebrated a great many more birthdays than have rolled over my head. And yet I must say that in my judgment a great many of the old-fashioned virtues are somehow lost in the shuffle these days. Maybe not—but I'm open to conviction. There was a time when citizens would not tolerate anything that was not square and above board in what was really everybody's business and affected the welfare of the entire community. And yet such things, trifling and trivial, perhaps, are often winked-at nowadays. It seems a pity, too, for when people lose respect of one another, when citizens are not assured of the high-mindedness of those in authority—well it isn't as it should be and it just can't go on to any good end.

AT SKIDMORE COLLEGE

Miss Ann Schipper, of Trowbridge avenue, Newtonville, and Miss Alice Potter, of Centre street, Newton Centre, Mass., were both members of the victorious Sophomore hockey team which by winning the game over the Seniors on Field Day made themselves the champions of the college. Miss Schipper and Miss Potter played remarkable games which made the victory for their class possible.

MISS BAILEY ENGAGED

Professor and Mrs. Albert Edward Bailey of Newton Centre announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Miss Marion Bailey, to Edward James Sparling, Jr., of Stanford, Calif., son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward James Sparling of Hollister, Calif.

Miss Bailey spent her college years in Europe, where she received a diploma from the University of Barcelona and also attended the University of Poitiers, in France. During her vacations, she travelled extensively in Europe and the Near East. She has just returned home from California, where she has been for the past two years. While in the West, she took graduate work at the University of California, and spent several months with her sister, Mrs. Frank Linden Maylor, Jr., of Berkeley.

Mr. Sparling is a graduate of Stanford University and a member of the Alpha Delta Phi fraternity. During the World War he served as lieutenant in aviation. He received his M. A. at Columbia University and now is engaged in educational work in California. The wedding is to be in March.

MISS MASON ENGAGED

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Atlee Mason of 871 Beacon street, Newton Centre, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Eleanor Mason, to James Hunter Orr, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Orr of Hartford, Conn.

Miss Mason was graduated from the School of the Museum of Fine Arts in 1924 and since then has achieved success in the painting of miniatures which have been exhibited in New York, Philadelphia and Boston. She is a direct descendant on both the maternal and paternal sides of Governor John Winthrop, and also traces her ancestry in direct descent from William Augustus Atlee of Philadelphia, who was judge of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania. Miss Mason's grandfather, David Haven Mason, was a noted lawyer and educator for whom the Mason School in Newton Centre was named. He was also district attorney of the United States.

Mr. Orr was graduated from Harvard with the class of 1920 and is a member of the Massachusetts Bar. He is with the firm of Stone and Webster.

HEALTH REPORT FOR OCTOBER

Despite the hullabaloo raised in certain Boston papers over the terrible condition of Newton water, the health report of this city for last month seems to indicate that the alleged polluted water is not causing much disease. There were 43 deaths during the month, as against 55 for the same month last year. The death rate per 1000 was 9.67. Nineteen of those dying were over 70 years of age. Eleven deaths were caused by heart disease and six resulted from apoplexy.

No case of typhoid occurred during the month. In fact, there has been no typhoid in this city since last Spring. Three cases of diptheria were reported, eight cases of scarlet fever, twenty-two cases of mumps, four cases of whooping cough, and two cases of chicken pox.

The sanitary division of the Board of Health investigated 36 complaints and abated 22 nuisances. Thirty milk amples were inspected and twenty-five dairies visited. Sixteen bakeries and twenty-one markets were inspected.

SOMERSET FARMS CREAM AGAIN TAKES FIRST PRIZE

At the Dairymen's Association convention held in Portland last week the Solon Creamery of Solon, Maine, one of the three creameries furnishing the supply marketed by the Somerset Farms of Boston, captured the much coveted first prize for quality.

Each year Frank H. Turgeon, the genial manager of Somerset Farms, is pretty sure to receive a Thanksgiving offering in the nature of one or more prizes at the Dairy meet and it is becoming a custom among his many friends to expect a report of this nature. He, nevertheless, is receiving the hearty felicitations of his customers and friends on his latest prize award and the many Newton residents who insist upon Somerset Farms cream for their table will be in this note of congratulations. Mr. Turgeon's slogan is "Cream for those who want quality" and each year he lives up to it.

BIRTHS

COHEN; on Nov. 13 to Mr. and Mrs. Max Cohen of 37 Johnson Place, Auburndale, a daughter.
CLEVELAND; on Nov. 18 to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cleveland of 30 Chaske avenue, Auburndale, a son.
JOHNSON; on Nov. 18 to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson of 9 Grant street, Auburndale, a son.
TUFTS; on Nov. 19 to Mr. and Mrs. Royal Tufts of 141 Cypress street, Newton Centre, a daughter.
BLACK; on November 12 to Mr. and Mrs. Mark Black, 33 Clark street, Newton Centre, a daughter.
MILLER; on November 13 to Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Miller, 19 Lewis street, Newton, a son.
DELANEY; on November 16 to Mr. and Mrs. Harold F. Delaney, 6 Holland street, Newton, twin daughters.
HAYES; on November 16 to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hayes, 66 Prospect avenue, Newtonville, a daughter.
HICKS; on November 16 to Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hicks, 11 Stearns street, Newton Centre, a daughter.

DEATHS

HOPKINS; on November 20 at 355 Newtonville avenue, Newtonville, Mrs. Mary E. Hopkins. Age 88 yrs.
MELODY; on November 22 at 221 Auburn street, Auburndale, Thomas F. Melody, age 84 yrs.
McCARTHY; on November 23 at 37 North street, Newton Centre, Mrs. Mary J. McCarthy, age 69 yrs.
SPEAR; on November 22 at 498 Watertown street, Newtonville, Samuel Spear, age 70 yrs.
WEINBERG; on November 19 at 55 Pembroke street, Newton, Jacob Weinberg, age 64 yrs.
WATERBURY; on November 22 at 3 Carl street, Newton Centre, Mrs. Lavinia Waterbury, age 72 yrs.

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ABOUT TOWN

Postmaster Baker needs to caution some of the drivers of the mail trucks conveying postal matter between the stations of his district. Wednesday morning, although the streets were wet and the going dangerous, a mail truck was driven down Washington street between Newtonville and Newton at a speed of at least 40 miles an hour. To drive a truck at such a speed in heavy traffic is dangerous even with the streets dry. A person who drives a truck at such a speed on wet streets, should have his license revoked. A mail truck will kill or maim, when driven recklessly, even as will any automobile.

Summer comes, and summer goes, but screen doors stay on forever, judging by one screen door which still remains at the entrance of the office of a Newton Corner business man. Perhaps he is waiting until the last of the moths has disappeared. Some late ones are still flying around.

Few of the men who served overseas will enthuse over any suggestion to chlorinate Newton's water. Ask any ex-service man who ever drank chlorinated water, or coffee made from such water, what he thinks of this beverage.

Chief of Police Burke has had the corner of Washington street and Jackson road marked to prevent inconsiderate autoists from parking cars directly on the cross walk at this place. Despite the fact that thousands of pedestrians use this crossing daily, many drivers of automobiles park their cars directly in the way of the foot traffic.

It is quite doubtful if any court would countenance the enforcement of the "No Parking" restrictions which have been established on some of our streets at the request of certain individuals who want no cars parked in front of their residences or places of business. Some of the places so restricted are not in the business centres of our villages. One person has no more right to have "No Parking" signs in front of his property than has any other person. If everyone demanded such a privilege, where would the automobiles park?

Waban residents appreciate the improvement produced by the resurfacing of Woodward street, near Beacon street.

Alderman Daniel O'Connell is profuse in his praise of the efficiency of the Newton Fire Department. There was a fire recently at his home, and the blaze was extinguished in short order by the local fire fighters.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
LAND COURT.

To the City of Newton, a municipal corporation, located in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; Frederick L. Putnam, Annie A. Burnham and Arthur W. Burnham, of said Newton; C. Harold Wheelock otherwise known as Charles H. Wheelock, of Weston, in the County of Middlesex; Philip N. Winkler, of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth; and to all whom it may concern.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Mary Champlin, of said Newton, to register and confirm her title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in that part of said Newton called Waban, bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by Woodward Street, 71.12 feet; Southeasterly by land now or formerly of Frederick L. Putnam, 134.72 feet; Southwesterly by land now or formerly of Annie A. Burnham, 71.66 feet; and Northwesterly by land now or formerly of Philip N. Winkler, 142.27 feet.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the twenty-seventh day of December A.D. 1926 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, **Charles Thornton Davis, Esquire,** Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of November in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-six.

Attest with Seal of said Court.
[Seal.]
CHARLES A. SOUTHWORTH, Recorder.
Dec. 3-10-17.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the devisees under the will—and all other persons interested in the estate of
Helen C. Parker
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, Sarah B. Slocum, executrix of the will of said deceased has presented to said Court her petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the real estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested, who can be found within the Commonwealth, fourteen days, at least, before said Court, and if any one can not be so found, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Dec. 3-10-17.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of
Harriet M. Bowman
late of Newton in said County, deceased:

WHEREAS, Selwyn Z. Bowman and S. Louise Knapp the trustees under the will of said deceased, have presented for allowance, the 6th, 7th, 8th and Supplemental 8th accounts of their trust under said will: for the benefit of Sarah Louise Knapp and others.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the twentieth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said trustees are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Dec. 3-10-17.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Harry L. Nelson to the Watertown Co-operative Bank, dated the twenty-ninth day of October, 1925, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4914, Page 510, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises therein described, on Thursday, December 30, 1926, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage, and therein described as follows:

"the land in that part of Newton called Auburndale, with the buildings thereon, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on the Northerly side of Auburn Street on the Westerly side of land now or late of the City of Newton being a passageway twelve (12) feet in width on the line of Auburn Street leading from said street to the "schoolhouse lot" so-called; thence running Westerly by said Auburn Street Sixty-(60) feet more or less; thence turning at a right angle and running by land now or late of William P. and Benjamin Bourne one hundred sixty (160) feet ten inches more or less to said "schoolhouse lot"; thence, running Southeasterly by said "schoolhouse lot" eighty-three (83) feet more or less to said passageway; thence, running Southerly by said passageway one hundred and seven (107) feet four inches more or less to said Auburn Street at the point of beginning.

Being the same premises conveyed to me by Arthur T. Melody by Deed duly recorded."

Said premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens and assessments, if any there be.

$500 deposit will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, at which other terms will be announced.

WATERTOWN CO-OPERATIVE BANK,
present holder of said mortgage,
by Ulysses S. Young, Treasurer.
Dec. 3-10-17.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by John N. Corner and George Smith to the Watertown Co-operative Bank, dated the twenty-third day of February, 1923, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4590, Page 21, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises therein described, on Friday, December 31, 1926, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage, and therein described as follows:

"the land partly in NEWTON, said County, and partly in said WATERTOWN, with the buildings thereon, being lot numbered 31 (thirty one) on Plan by Alexander Wadsworth, Surv. dated Aug. 26, 1870 recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds in Plan Book 17 as Plan 64 and bounded as follows:

SOUTHERLY by Boyd Street (called on said plan Chestnut Street) one hundred (100) feet;
WESTERLY by lot 32 on said plan one hundred and fifty (150) feet;
NORTHERLY by lot 16 on said plan one hundred (100) feet;
EASTERLY by lot 30 on said plan one hundred and fifty (150) feet;
CONTAINING 15,000 square feet according to said plan.

Being the same premises conveyed to us by Mary E. Plummer by deed dated September 30, 1919 and recorded with said Deeds in Book 4298, Page 41."

Said premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens and assessments, if any there be.

$500 deposit will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, at which other terms will be announced.

WATERTOWN CO-OPERATIVE BANK,
present holder of said mortgage,
By Ulysses S. Young, Treasurer.
Dec. 3-10-17.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of
Albert William Galway
of Newton in said County, formerly an insane person:

WHEREAS, Beulah F. Boynton, executrix of the will of Annie Galway, who was the guardian of said ward, has presented for allowance, the third account as guardian upon the estate of said ward:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the twenty-second day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said Beulah F. Boynton is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Dec. 3-10-17.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of
Jacob Weinberg
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament—and two codicils—of said deceased have been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Selma Weinberg and Alfred L. Fish who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fifteenth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Nov. 26-Dec. 3-10.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Lillian B. Allen
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Ernest Booth and James L. Richards who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Dec. 3-10-17.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Frances H. Manny late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JOHN A. BENNETT, Executor.
(Address)
6 Beacon St.,
Boston, Mass.
Dec. 2, 1926.
Dec. 3-10-17.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Supreme Judicial Court.
No. 2302 Equity.
American Trust Company, Trustee
v.
Boston and Worcester Street Railway Company

ORDER OF NOTICE UPON SEVENTH REPORT OF RECEIVER DATED NOVEMBER 26, 1926.

The Receiver heretofore appointed in the above-entitled case having this day filed his seventh report dated November 26, 1926, it is ordered that the Receiver notify the Chairman of the Department of Public Utilities of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Mayors of the Cities of Newton and Marlborough, and the Chairmen of the Boards of Selectmen of Brookline, Framingham, Hudson, Natick, Northborough, Shrewsbury, Southborough, Wellesley and Westborough, and also the plaintiff and the defendant in the above-entitled case, to appear before the Justices of this Court, at the equity session thereof to be holden at Boston, within and for the County of Suffolk, on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of December, 1926, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., by mailing to each of them, postage prepaid, on or before December 2, 1926, a copy of this order; and it is further ordered that the Receiver give notice to all other persons interested therein to appear as aforesaid, by publishing a copy of this order once a week for two successive weeks in the Boston Evening Transcript, Newton Graphic, Framingham Evening News, Marlborough Daily Enterprise, and Worcester Telegram, the last publication to be at least four days before said fourteenth day of December, 1926; that they may then and there show cause, if any they have, why the Court should not approve said seventh report of the Receiver and the accident claim payments described in said report, and authorize the Receiver to remove the defendant's rails, ties and other property from Concord Street, Framingham, extending from Worcester Road to the village of Saxonville, and to issue Receiver's certificates to an amount not exceeding $100,000, all as prayed for in said report.

November 26, 1926.

By the Court,
(Signed) FREDERIC L. PUTNAM,
Assistant Clerk.

A true copy
Attest: (Signed)
FREDERIC L. PUTNAM,
Asst. Clerk.
Dec. 3-10.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the **power of sale** in a certain mortgage given by Florence Vachon to The Newton Co-operative Bank dated July 3, 1917 and recorded with Middlesex South District deeds, Book 4151, Page 7, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at four o'clock P. M., on the twenty-second day of December A. D. 1926, on or at the premises all and singular the premises described in said mortgage.

To wit: a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situate in Newton in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the dividing line between lands of Broderick and Vachon which point is seventy (70) feet west from the west line of Faxon Street; and

Thence running westerly by land now or late of Broderick fifty (50) feet;

Thence turning and running northerly by land now or late of Broderick fifty-eight (58) feet;

Thence turning and running easterly by land now or late of Ferdinand Vachon fifty (50) feet; and

Thence turning and running southerly by land now or late of Ferdinand Vachon fifty-eight (58) feet to the point of beginning;

Being a part of Lot 7 as shown on a plan by J. H. Curtis dated September 1869 and recorded with said Deeds in Book of Plans 16 as Plan 53.

Being the same premises conveyed by Alcide J. Vachon to said Florence Vachon by deed dated January 12, 1914 and recorded with said Deeds in Book 3853 Page 221 and being conveyed together with the right of way and subject to and with the benefit of the restrictions therein referred to.

Terms of Sale: Two hundred dollars to be paid at the time of sale and the balance in ten days thereafter.

Other terms to be announced at the sale.

Signed
THE NEWTON CO-OPERATIVE BANK,
By JAMES W. FRENCH, President.
Present holder of said mortgage.
November 22, 1926.
Nov. 26-Dec. 3-10.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Isaac S. Dillingham
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Isaac S. Dillingham who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourteenth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Nov. 26-Dec. 3-10.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Edward Cornelius Briggs
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Ethel McClure Briggs who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the eighth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Nov. 19-26-Dec. 3.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed public administrator of the estate of Ada Carter Hopkins late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

FREDERICK W. DALLINGER, Public Adm.
(Address)
89 State St., Boston.
Nov. 15th, 1926.
Nov. 26-Dec. 3-10.

Notice is hereby given that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the will of Maria R. Wheeler late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

EDWARD B. CAIGER, and
JOHN F. WHEELER, Executors.
(Address)
73 Cornhill,
Boston, Mass.
Nov. 16, 1926.
Nov. 19-26-Dec. 3.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
LAND COURT.
(Seal)

Petition to Foreclose Tax Lien.

No. 1147.

To All Whom it May Concern, and to Standard Accident Insurance Co., Commonwealth Pipe & Supply Co., A. J. Fetz Co., N. E. Concrete Products Co., duly existing corporations, having usual places of business, in Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth; Joseph Plotkin, Donald Warren, Osman C. Chaffee, Wm. O. Duston, J. Alfred Dolber, Patrick Lafferty, Frank Pagana, of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth; Esther Margolis, residence unknown, or her heirs, devisees or legal representatives:

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court by Harry P. Chadwick, of said Boston, in the County of Suffolk in said Commonwealth, to foreclose all rights of redemption from the tax lien proceedings described in said petition in and concerning a certain parcel of land situate in Newton, in the County of Middlesex, and said Commonwealth, bounded and described in said petition as follows:

About 7950 square feet of land on Quinobequin Road, being lot (3)-16, Block 4, Section 50 of Newton Assessor's Plans.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court, to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the sixth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from exercising any rights of redemption as aforesaid.

And in addition to the usual service of this notice as required by law, it is ordered that the foregoing citation be published forthwith once each week for three successive weeks in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in said Newton.

Witness, **Charles Thornton Davis, Esquire,** Judge of said Court, this tenth day of November in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-six.

Attest with seal of said Court.
CHARLES A. SOUTHWORTH, Recorder.
Nov. 19-26-Dec. 3

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Abraham Siegal to Christian B. Friswold dated January 20, 1926 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4932, Page 419, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, on Saturday, the eighteenth day of December, 1926, on the premises, all and singular, the premises described in said mortgage, namely:—

A certain parcel of land situated in that part of said Newton called Newton Centre shown as lot 13 (thirteen) on a plan by Russell H. Whiting, C. E., dated January 14, 1920, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds in Plan Book 285, Plan 22, bounded and described as follows:

NORTHEASTERLY by Commonwealth Avenue eighty-eight (88) feet;
SOUTHEASTERLY by lot 11 (eleven) on said plan one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet;
SOUTHWESTERLY by lots 16 and 17 (sixteen and seventeen) on said plan eighty-seven and 49/100 (87.49) feet;
NORTHWESTERLY by lot 15 (fifteen) on said plan ninety-five (95) feet;
Containing 9350 square feet more or less.

The premises will be sold subject to a rst mortgage for $14,000, held by the Boston Penny Savings Bank; to restrictions of record so far as the same are now in force and applicable to the premises; and to unpaid municipal taxes and assessments, if any.

Terms of sale: Five Hundred (500) Dollars to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, and the balance in ten (10) days thereafter. Other terms to be announced at the sale.

CHRISTIAN B. FRISWOLD, Mortgagee.
November 18, 1926.
Address:
c/o Henry F. Wood,
18 Tremont Street,
Boston, Mass.
Nov. 26-Dec. 3-10.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Henry Wood to the Coolidge Corner Co-Operative Bank, dated May 29th, 1926 and recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds in Book 4979, Page 16, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at Public Auction at two o'clock, P. M., on Monday, the twentieth day of December, A. D. 1926, on the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: The land in Newton, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, being shown as Lot 13 on a plan entitled "Subdivision of the Fred Holland Chamberlin Estates, numbers 5 and 6 in Newton Center" made by Rowland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal, Civil Engineers, dated May 1925 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds in Plan Book 358 Plan 12, and bounded and described as follows:—Westerly by Charlotte Road, Seventy-Four & 58/100 (74.58) Feet; Northerly by Lot No. 14 on said plan, One Hundred (100) Feet; Easterly by land of owners unknown Ninety-One & 88/100 (91.88) Feet; Southerly by Lot 12 on said plan, One Hundred One & 70/100 (101.70) Feet; Containing according to said plan 8460 square feet of land. This conveyance is made subject to the Easement of the City of Newton for drainage over the Southerly part of said lot; also to the restrictions set forth in deed from Fred Holland Chamberlin, Inc., to George V. Steeves dated November 7, 1925 and recorded with said deeds in Book 4917 Page 102. The property will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, tax titles, or other liens if any there may be.

$200.00 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, the balance within ten (10) days upon the delivery of the deed.

COOLIDGE CORNER CO-OPERATIVE BANK, Mortgagee,
By GEORGE R. SLADER, Treasurer.
November 20, 1926.

For further particulars apply to Wyman & Brier, Attorneys, 73 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.
Nov. 26-Dec. 3-10.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of
William Craig
late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Mary A. Craig of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourteenth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Nov. 26-Dec. 3-10.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executrix of the will of Helen C. Parker late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

SARAH B. SLOCUM, Executrix.
(Address)
Mrs. Sarah B. Slocum,
424 Walnut Street,
Newtonville, Mass.
November 12, 1926.
Nov. 19-26-Dec. 3.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
LAND COURT.
(Seal)

Petition to Foreclose Tax Lien.

No. 1149.

To All Whom it May Concern, and to Standard Accident Insurance Co., Commonwealth Pipe & Supply Co., A. J. Fetz Co., N. E. Concrete Products Co., duly existing corporations, having usual places of business in Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth; Joseph Plotkin, Donald Warren, Osman C. Chaffee, Wm. O. Duston, J. Alfred Dolber, Patrick Lafferty, Frank Pagana, of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth; Esther Margolis, residence unknown, or her heirs, devisees or legal representatives:

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court by Harry P. Chadwick, of said Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth, to foreclose all rights of redemption from the tax lien proceedings described in said petition in and concerning a certain parcel of land situate in Newton, in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth, bounded and described in said petition as follows:

About 5400 square feet of land on New Street being lot (3) 24, Block 4, Section 50 of Newton Assessor's plans.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court, to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the sixth day of December A. D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from exercising any rights of redemption as aforesaid.

And in addition to the usual service of this notice as required by law, it is ordered that the foregoing citation be published forthwith once each week for three successive weeks in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in said Newton.

Witness, **Charles Thornton Davis, Esquire,** Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of November in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-six.

Attest with seal of said Court.
CHARLES A. SOUTHWORTH, Recorder.
Nov. 19-26-Dec. 3.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
LAND COURT.
(Seal)

Petition to Foreclose Tax Lien.

No. 1148.

To All Whom it May Concern, and to N. E. Concrete Products Co., A. J. Fetz Co., Standard Accident Insurance Co., Commonwealth Pipe & Supply Co., duly existing corporations, having usual places of Business in Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth; Osman C. Chaffee, Wm. O. Duston, J. Alfred Dolber, Patrick Lafferty, Frank Pagana, Joseph Plotkin, Donald Warren, of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth; Esther Margolis, residence unknown, her heirs, devisees or legal representatives:

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court by Harry P. Chadwick of said Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth, to foreclose all rights of redemption from the tax lien proceedings described in said petition in and concerning a certain parcel of land situate in Newton, in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth, bounded and described in said petition as follows:

About 5000 square feet of land on New Street being lot (3) 25, Block 4, Section 50 of Newton Assessors Plans.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court, to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the sixth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from exercising any rights of redemption as aforesaid.

And in addition to the usual service of this notice as required by law, it is ordered that the foregoing citation be published forthwith once each week for three successive weeks in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in said Newton.

Witness, **Charles Thornton Davis, Esquire,** Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of November in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-six.

Attest with seal of said Court.
CHARLES A. SOUTHWORTH, Recorder.
Nov. 19-26-Dec. 3

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Mary Elizabeth Watson
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Mary Richards who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the seventh day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Nov. 19-26-Dec. 3.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To Florence E. Hammond, Estella May Holmes, Lena O. Holmes, Lena L. Holmes, of Newton in the County and Commonwealth aforesaid, and to Mattie A. Skeene of parts unknown, and to all other persons interested.

WHEREAS, Minnie A. Chapman of Long Island in the State of New York has presented to said Court a petition, representing that she holds as tenant in common fifty-two undivided, two hundred twenty-fifth parts or shares of certain land lying in Newton in said County of Middlesex, and briefly described as follows:

A certain lot of land being the westerly part of Lot No. 23 upon a plan of flats owned by the Newton Union Land Company and bounded: Beginning at the Northwesterly corner thereof on Adams St. and Lot No. 26 on said plan and running on said lot No. 26 about Northeasterly 130 ft. to land of Marie Brummel, thence southerly on said Brummel land 151 ft. to a court 30 ft. wide which is to be forever an open way; thence Westerly on said Court about 121 ft. to said Adams Street; thence Northerly n said Adams St. 150 ft. to the place of beginning. Containing 18,932 ft. be the ame more or less, setting forth that she desires that all of said land may be sold at rivate sale for not less than ten thousand dollars and praying that partition may be nade of all the land aforesaid according to aw, and to that end that a commissioner be ppointed to make such partition and be ordered to make sale and conveyance of all, r any part of said land which the Court finds annot be advantageously divided, either at private sale or public auction, and be ordered to distribute the net proceeds thereof.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventh day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by serving a copy thereof on each person interested, whose address is known, either personally or by registered mail, fourteen days at least before said Court, and, if any one is not so served, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing a copy thereof to the last known address of such person, fourteen days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Nov. 19-26-Dec. 3.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Philip Basile to Warren F. Freeman and Robert M. Dobbins dated June 25, 1925, recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds Book 4861, Page 10, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, (by virtue of his being the holder by assignment of that certain mortgage given by Philip Basile and Filomena Basile to Warren F. Freeman and Robert M. Dobbins, dated July 20, 1926, and recorded with said Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Book 4995, Page 176, and said assignment being recorded with said Deeds Book 5003, Page 469) for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, namely, the mortgage first hereinabove referred to, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction at three o'clock P. M. on the fourteenth day of December, A. D. 1926, at the office of the Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange, Room 103 in building known as Pemberton Building, No. 20

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GOLDEN EAGLETS AWARDED

Barbara Jack and Eloise Andrews Receive Highest Honors for Girl Scouts at a Largely Attended Rally on Friday

The Golden Eaglet, the highest award given to a Girl Scout and the one which is always before the girl as the emblem of her scout ideal. When it is attained she realizes that it is just a milestone on her Scout way and that having passed that goal there are others ahead with wider outlooks and broader ways for service.

Two girls, Barbara Jack and Eloise Andrews of Troop No. 15, West Newton, were awarded this Golden Eaglet at the Newton Rally which was held on Friday night in the gymnasium of the Newton High School. Unfortunately these two scouts are away at college and their badges were received for them by their younger sisters, who are also members of Troop No. 15.

It was the largest rally ever given by the Newton Girl Scouts. Twenty-two troops marched onto the floor after "assembly" was blown at 7.30, led by the bugle and drum corps. More than 500 scouts and officers were present, and an audience of about 600 people watched them from the bleachers that had been erected in the gymnasium. A short opening ceremony was conducted by Miss Caroline L. Freeman, the Newton Local Director, at which the scouts pledged allegiance to the flag and repeated the scout promise and laws, and after this they were seated on the ground to watch the tableaux of the American flag. These tableaux were presented by six of the senior troops and showed episodes in the history of the flag from 1620-1926. Each tableau was accompanied by appropriate reading and music. The First Thanksgiving was shown by Troop No. 15, West Newton, the Pine Tree Flag of New England at the Battle of Bunker Hill by Troop No. 10, Newtonville, the Cambridge Flag and the Spirit of '76 by Troop No. 21, Newton Highlands, the Betsy Ross Flag by Troop No. 17, Newton Upper Falls, the Star Spangled Banner by Troop No. 13, Newton Centre, and the flag of today held by Columbia by Troop No. 14, Waban. During this last tableau a solo, "The Home Road," was sung by Mrs. Paul Mosser of Waban, and then the American flags of the 22 troops were massed at the feet of "Columbia," while the scouts sang "Oh, Beautiful Banner." The lyrics that accompanied the tableaux were written by Lieutenant Burnham of Troop No. 14, and were read by Miss Marion Clapp of Brookline. The piano was played by Miss Burnham. The historical flags were lent by the town of Lexington, and a number of Girl Scout officers from there were in the audience. The tableaux were planned and arranged by Miss Freeman.

After the tableaux Miss Clapp spoke briefly about Japan and the thousands of Friendship Dolls that are soon to be sent there on an American Army transport. The Newton scouts have dressed 11 of these dolls for their Japanese cousins, and these were shown on the stage, lined up on a table surrounded by their large and

An entertainment is to be given by Troop 3, the Junior Troop of Newton Centre on Friday and Saturday evening of this week in the Parish House of Trinity Church at 7.30 o'clock. A play "The Spell of Christmas" will be followed by a Christmas sale.

Troop 20, the Senior Troop in Newton will hold an entertainment in the Y.M.C.A. Hall on Friday evening, December 17 at 8 o'clock. A Christmas play, "A Pot of Red Geraniums" and "The Ghost Story" by Booth Tarking-

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GOOD GOVERNMENT CLUB

Auburndale Voters Hear Various Candidates for City Office

The Auburndale Good Government Club held a meeting Wednesday night to listen to candidates for office at the Muncipal Election next Tuesday, and to a debate on Prohibition. Among those who spoke were Alderman Weeks, who explained how the city is financed; Alderman Bliss, who told of the troubles and tribulations of the Franchise and License Committee in deciding about gasoline station permits; Alderman Gallagher, who gave a scientific discourse on water, couched in plain terms; Alderman Heathcote and Harold Dougherty, opponents in Ward 4, related some of their activities and gave some reasons as to why each should be considered as a proper candidate. William Noone, candidate for re-election as Ward Alderman from Ward 4, also spoke.

The debate on prohibition was very interesting. The "drys" were represented by Mr. W. M. Forgreave, who asserted that the 18th Amendment and the Volstead Act have eliminated much suffering, and that despite assertions to the contrary, there is not the carnival of crime resulting from prohibition. Mr. Forgreave is executive secretary of the Anti-Saloon League. The "wets" were championed by Mr. Gordon, not the alderman from Auburndale, but a gentleman representing the Constitutional Liberty League. He contended that prohibition has not been, is not being, and cannot be enforced, that since the 18th Amendment went into effect crime has been rampant, and that a modification of the present ineffective efforts to prevent the use of all intoxicating liquors for beverages, this country would be better morally and financially if the law will be relaxed. It was apparent from the applause that the ladies present were "drys."

CHARITY BRIDGE

The Newton School for Girls held its annual Charity Bridge at the school, 547 Centre street, Monday afternoon of this week. A large attendance contributed to the success of the afternoon. A tea room and cake sale helped to increase the proceeds which will be used for the Christmas party on December 22 at which the school will entertain as its guests a group of fifteen children from the North End Union.

Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. Gifford Le Clear of Waban and Mrs. William G. Lennox of Newton. The students assisting were: Doris Bryant, Margaret Lennox, Mary Wright, Mary Schirmer, Betty Scates, Eleanor Spencer, Margaret Mansfield, Margaret Reeve and Alice Jack.

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The Newton Circle Inc., greatly desires to increase its membership, and with that end in view, is conducting a vigorous membership drive, depending upon its faithful members and friends for ardent support. Both men and women are eligible. Let everybody help in aiding this much needed philanthropy which places our neglected children brought to the Newton Court in private homes; keeps families together when crises bring them into contact with the Court and threaten the future of the home; and finds work for boys and girls discharged from State Reformation Institutions.

THE FULLER GARAGE

Aldermen Criticize Unauthorized Sale of Gasoline

Alderman Hodgdon "started somthing" at the aldermanic meeting Monday night when he called the attention of the Board to the docket of the meeting of March 15. At that meeting the Franchise and License Committee recommended that leave to withdraw be given to the Fuller Realty Company for an outside filling station at 966 Watertown street, West Newton. The Ward 5 alderman said, "Despite the fact that the Board granted leave to withdraw on this petition, pumps have been erected outside at 966 Watertown street and gasoline is being sold there." He asked for the opinion of the City Solicitor. He also referred to the meeting of June 22, 1925, when the aldermen at that time granted a garage permit to Mrs. Lillian I. Cate on condition that the north and east walls of the garage be kept back 30 feet from the corner of Watertown street and Davis Court, and that the small unoccupied area be enclosed by varied wardrobes. Each doll was given her passport, properly vised, and a ticket by a member of the troop that had dressed her. The prize for the best dressed doll was awarded to Troop No. 11, Newton Highlands, and honorable mention to Troop No. 21, the senior troop in Newton Highlands.

When the dolls had been wished God-speed the troops lined up around the hall for the presenting of merit badges and other awards. 197 merit badges were given to 121 girls in 24 different subjects. Eight five year stripes were given to Priscilla Hudson and Priscilla Speare from Troop No. 13, Newton Centre, and Marion Frost, Helen Warren, Carol Upham, Ethel Richards, Mary Chandler, and Eleanor Burnham of Troop No. 14, Waban. Four Letters of Commendation, the highest character award for a Girl Scout, were given to Janice Upham, Marion Frost, Eleanor Burnham, and Marjorie Whitaker of Troop No. 14.

After these awards, which were given by Miss Kenrick and Mrs. Carter, members of the Newton Council, the scouts marched out of the gymnasium and the rally ended with "Taps" in the thickly falling snow.

The Newton Girl Scout Officers' Association held its third meeting of the year at the Unitarian Church in West Newton on Wednesday evening at 6.30. Supper was served to over 50 people by the officers from the three Newton Centre troops. The evening's entertainment was a Christmas party presided over by Santa Claus himself and arranged by Captain Skipwirth of Troop 13, Newton Centre.

Newton is to be the scene of a big Girl Scout Conference to be held January 7, 8 and 9. Two delegates from every troop in the Metropolitan Division Girl Scouts will attend this conference. The age is limited to girls from 13 years to 18. The meetings will be run entirely by the scouts with no outsiders present excepting at the Saturday evening meeting which is to be open to the scout public, and all

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NEWTON WATER IS SAFE

Board of Health Expresses its Opinion

To the Editor:
Sir:—

There has been so much talk about the safety of the Newton water that a statement of the facts should be made in order to allay any alarm which may have been felt by the citizens.

In the first place let me say, emphatically, that the Newton water is perfectly safe to use, at the present time; that it has been safe in the past, as evidenced by the fact that during thirty years or more, it has never been shown to have caused disease, and that there is no reason to fear that it will become unsafe in the future.

Newton water is strongly impregnated with iron and such waters are liable to the production of a substance known as crenothrix. When this occurs its presence causes a discoloration of the water, which is disagreeable but not dangerous to health. In addition a certain amount of iron rust from the pipes gets into the water. These two factors cause a sediment which, on standing, collects in the bottom of the container.

During the past summer the City has been cleaning the mains in order to lessen the amount of iron rust and crenothrix in the water. Having done this the next step is to clean the collecting galleries of the accumulated crenothrix and, as doing this would naturally release it into the pipes, thus increasing the amount of sediment and discoloration of the water, it has been decided to discontinue the use of Newton water during the process and use the Metropolitan supply.

During the process of cleaning, a thorough inspection of the whole system will be made in order to discover if any defects have developed, during the long term of service, which need repair. None are known to exist, but the object is to safeguard the Newton water supply in the future, in so far as human foresight can effect.

FRANCIS GEO. CURTIS, M. D.
Chairman, Board of Health.

LAKE STREET TERMINAL

Through the efforts of Mr. George J. Martin several plans have been made by the Boston Elevated Company for the improvement of the terminal at Lake Street, Chestnut Hill. A meeting will be held for everyone interested at the Commonwealth Country Club next Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock to discuss the plans and if possible, to have the Boston Elevated and the Middlesex and Boston companies agree upon some plan which will relieve the present unsatisfactory condition at that junction.

ALUMNI DAY

Plans are being made for an Alumni Day at the Newton High School to be held December 29th. A cafeteria supper will be served, a special entertainment given in the Auditorium, and followed by a dance in the gymnasium.

THE WATER SITUATION

Cleaning the Wooden Conduit Will Force the City to Use Metropolitan Water for a Short Time

The special committee of the Board of Aldermen, which for the past year has been studying the Newton water supply, held a conference with the Finance Committee on Monday night. As a result $6000 was appropriated to clean the wooden conduit and the pipe lines on the water reservation at Needham. The work will start in the near future and at that time the supply from the Needham meadows will cease to flow into the mains of the city and water from the Metropolitan system will be furnished to residents of this burg. It is estimated that this supply will be used for about two weeks. So, for a fortnight those residents of this city who have been anxious for the superior (?) water from the Clinton reservoir, will be provided with a liquid which they can drink and bathe in with impunity.

The Mayor recommended, in a communication to the Board of Aldermen, that $10,000 be appropriated for improvements to the water system and for the payment of water purchased from the Metropolitan Commission in 1925. The $6000 appropriated by the aldermen contains the following items: Edison Company for wiring to job, $800; rent of 12-inch pump and 40 horse-power motor, $250; piping, $500; labor on conduit line, $1500; raising manholes, $500; miscellaneous item and repairs on conduit, $1950.

Alderman Bail, Chairman of the Special Committee on Water told the Board that the work for which the $6000 was appropriated had been asked for by Water Commissioner Whitney, recommended by the Mayor and his committee, and had been under consideration by the committee since it was appointed, but that the committee had deemed it expedient only to ask for appropriations as the work of improving the water supply could be performed, step by step. The committee will from time to time, when the winter is over, ask for further appropriations to clean by the scraping process all the 8 inch and 6 inch pipes in the city. This cleaning by the machine will remove the deposits of Crenothrix which has made the water discolored.

Alderman Hodgdon said, "We have heard a lot of rumors about Newton water. I believe the committee has done its work well, but I believe the committee should let us know just what the conditions are. Certain physicians have asked that we take all our water from the Metropolitan supply. If Newton water is not all right, we should abandon it. I believe myself Newton water is good."

Alderman Bail replied, "Our committee was not invited to attend the conference held between the Mayor and the committee of physicians that advised the temporary abandonment of Newton water. I only know concerning this meeting what I read in the papers. The papers only told half-truths. The Department of Health of the Commonwealth, settled the question as to whether or not Newton water is unsafe. If the water is not safe the State Health Department has the right to order the pumps at the Upper Falls pumping station to be shut down. It has not done so. I had a talk with an official

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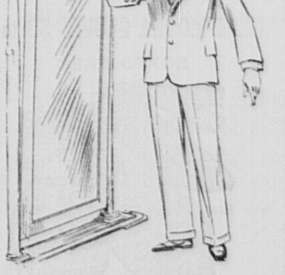
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SPAIN ELECTED CAPTAIN

Frank Spain of the Newton high school football team was elected to captain the 1927 team at a meeting of the letter men of the 1926 squad following the annual picture on Tuesday of this week. Spain and Stubbs were the two nominees decided by the first ballot. On the first ballot following the choice of nominees the Waban boy was elected the leader. While either of the two would no doubt make a good leader for next year's outfit the fact that Stubbs already holds the hockey captainship for this winter decided the letter-men to give the captaincy to Spain.

SPORT NOTES

The weather conditions of Saturday showed that it is unwise to attempt to extend the football season beyond Thanksgiving Day and the Suburban league officials should make some ruling to the effect that ties in football should not stand. A play-off in baseball should a tie exist is another question entirely as this may be done without playing under the handicap of poor weather conditions.

Newton high school indoor track team should find plenty of competition on its hands this winter with its new saucer track which will be one of the finest in school ranks in this part of the state. Previously many teams have not been anxious to meet the orange and black on the old track because of the dangerous banks and almost impossibility of passing an opponent even on the straightaway. It is hoped that the work of putting in the new banks at each end of the drill-shed will be completed by December 30th, which is the tentative date for the alumni meet. Because of the storm and other setbacks the lumber for the work was delayed until the arrival of the lumber yesterday.

Prospects are excellent for a good team this year at Newton under the leadership of Captain Wally Fullerton, a versatile performer who can be counted upon for many points this season, and the support by more veterans than for several years. The coaching will again be directed by Donald Enoch, former Penn State track team star, who joined the Newton faculty last fall and who coached the runners last winter. He will be assisted by Coach Allie Dickinson and also by Mr. Bailey and Mr. Tisdale of the faculty. The final schedule cannot be announced until sometime next week when the exact date of the opening of the new track can be determined. Meanwhile, a provisional schedule has been prepared which will no doubt be subjected to several changes.

Last week it was noted that next fall the opening of the Suburban league football schedule had been advanced one week. Newton was slated to tackle Cambridge Latin at Claflin Field on October 8th and Everett on the same grounds on the 12th. In order to allow a longer rest between the two league games the authorities have advanced the date with the Cantabs one day and will play them on Friday, October 7th.

A number of questions have recently been asked whether or not the high school is to have a recognized varsity basketball team, now that the new gymnasium is adaptable for such use. Announcement was made this week that there positively would not be a recognized team but there is a possibility that in future years, perhaps even in 1927, the orange and black, after a lapse of over 10 years, will again be represented on the court. This year, however, the sport will be confined to intramural games. The first practice sessions were held on Monday afternoon of this week under the coaching of Raymond Green and the supervision of Clifford Brownell, athletic director in the Newton schools. Each room in each of the three buildings is to have a team if at all possible and a round robin tournament series will be arranged. In this way it will be possible to not only determine the players who may represent the school five next season but it will also develop a great amount of interest in the sport which is one of the most popular of indoor games as well as one of the most beneficial to team work and coordination of mind and muscle.

The announcement this week in one of the metropolitan papers to the effect that Mr. Green would also coach the swimming team was incorrect. The mermen will be under the direction of Mr. S. A. (Joe) Carling, former physical director of the Newton Y. M. C. A., and now a member of the physical education staff at the high school.

The chances are good that several former Newton high hockey players who had some of the neighboring high school sextets under their wings last year will again resume their positions. Leo Hughes will probably again be in charge of the Brookline outfit while Ed Burkhardt may return to Belmont where he coached last year. Another possibility of a Newton graduate as coach is found in the rumors that Joe Stubbs may be picked as the Harvard freshman coach. The yearling mentor at the Cambridge University resigned this week and the Newton youth, elder brother of this year's Newton high hockey captain, has been prominently mentioned as his successor.

Plangs are being made for the annual reunion banquet of Camp Passaconaway at the Boston City Club on Thursday, December 30th. An attractive program is being arranged with Stanley Lyon, former Newton and Dartmouth athlete, as the toastmaster.

There is considerable interest among Newton fans in the Boston Globe's All-preparatory school football team announced this week. Newton has three of its former players on the two elevens named. On the first team Mel. (Buster) Hemeon of Cushing Academy is found at right end. The other two are on the second eleven. Tom Gilligan of Exeter is picked for fullback and Wally Johnson of Cushing is at the left tackle berth. Gilligan by the way is one of two Exeter named among the 22 players.

Basketball followers were surprised at the outcome of the Quincy-Brockton Y. M. C. A. game last Saturday afternoon. The Granite City boys pinned a 36-22 defeat on the Shoe City lads. Newton fans will take interest in the game as Quincy is a member of the Eastern Division of the Two-State League.

The Newton football players obtained considerably more attention on the Globe's All-scholastic outfit than on any of the others. Frank Stubbs, Jr., was picked by Woodlock for the right guard position on the second eleven. Mention was made of the work of Scheinfain, at end, Forristall and Hapgood at tackle, Clark and Annable at quarterback, and Joe Gilligan and Stanley Brown at halfback. Captain Harold Andres was among the leading candidates for the pivot position on the mythical team but he lost out because of the injury and operation for appendicitis that ended his season a month early.

The Newton Y. M. C. A. basketball five journeys to Lowell tomorrow evening to take on the Lowell Y outfit in a Two-State league game. Last week the local aggregation went down to a 55 to 14 defeat at the hands of last year's champions, Fitchburg. The home team center was the star of the game making twelve goals from the floor and two from free tries for a total of 26 points. Bailey, Fitchburg right forward, tallied eleven points. Newton's scoring was split up among six of the seven players taking part in the game. McCarthy at right forward tallied twice from the floor and twice from three tries for six points. Kohler scored two from the floor. Burnett, Shields, Gray, guards, and Hardy at centre each tallied a point on a free try. The second team was defeated by the Fitchburg seconds 33 to 24. Wellman was the leading performer for the local seconds with a total of nine points.

Tomorrow evening at the Newton Y. M. C. A. there will be a wrestling meet between the Boston and Newton Y teams. Eight or ten matches in the various weights will be staged, starting at 8 o'clock.

With the first fall of snow thoughts of winter sports take up the minds of followers of such affairs. At Boston College Nicholas (Nick) Tedesco is one of the regulars that reported for practise last week. For two years he has been a relief forward on the Eagle Sextet but seems destined for a regular berth this season.

Up in Ithaca Captain Philip Hoyt has called the Big Red Train's hockey candidates out. This is his third year as regular on the club playing defense, but in spite of this handicap he is a leading scorer in the vicinity. Prospects are bright for a good year in the college, with M. I. T. as the big objective for the New York engineers.

Williams has hopes of once more putting on the ice a hockey team that will threaten the supremacy of the bigger college around New England. After last year's success the Purple is concentrating in this sport and relies on two Newton men, William Blaney of Waban and Dwight Shepler of Newton to add scoring punch to their forward line. Both were on the uncertain list due to scholastic difficulties, but now they seem to be all set, and doubtless add strength to the scoring power of the Purple's team.

The second member of the Little Three, Amherst, also has Newton men in the line-up. The Patrick brothers from West Newton are slated to start the season on the various wings. Rowland, the younger, played a major part of last year and should be more valuable because of it this season.

When Eli's forces get organized Dick Vaughn of Newton Centre will be seen on the forward line again. Last year he was one of the best of the many good forwards that the Blue sported, showing brilliantly against Harvard in their annual encounters. He was a star at Newotn where he played left wing and became at the end of the season second high scorer of the Suburban League.

Brown's newly formed hockey team also will have an Orange and Black tinge for Ritchie Stevens and Philip Lingham, cousins, will play the wings from indications at the present time. Brown is developing a schedule which is rather ambitious but gives the college an opportunity to show her progress and prowess among the college teams.

SPORT NOTES

E. R. Laughlin of West Newton, ex-St. Paul's school athlete, is showing considerable promise in the practice sessions of the Andover hockey squad.

In the opening matches of the Massachusetts Squash Racquets Association last Saturday the Newton Centre quintet in Class B made a clean sweep of the five matches with the Harvard five. In Class C the Newton Centre team nosed out the Harvard team 3-2 by taking the final three matches. The Newton Club was shut out in all five matches with the Union B. C. in the lower class.

Despite the wealth of letter men and material of varsity calibre from last year's freshman sextet the Harvard hockey team will feel the loss of Larry Pratt by graduation keenly. Pratt was not only a defensive player of ability but often went down the ice and slapped the disk past the enemy goalie. A tall and rangy athlete he depended more upon speed and stamina than weight. Coach Bigelow has three men to choose from to fill the vacancy, two of whom are Newton youths. Captain Bill Ellison and Clem Coady will fight it out with Eben Clark for the position.

Congratulations to the Brookline High School football eleven of 1926 and Coach Tom Hines on winning the first Suburban league championship since the Wealthy Town team entered the organization. At the start of the year the Brookline mentor was up against almost the same problem that Dickinson found himself. The Brookline team had a few more veteran men back than had Newton but there were but few high class players. The team caught Brockton before they got going in an early season game and defeated the Shoe City outfit 3 to 0. Following that affair the Brookline team suffered a long string of injuries and the remainder of the squad did remarkably well to make as good a record as they did. Coming into the final games of the season the Brookline outfit regained its momentum and although outrushed by Newton it capitalized on Newton's mistakes and the breaks to win. Then came the usual let-down after the regular season and until the league officials decided that the tie with Everett resulting from the Thanksgiving day games must be played off, when both squads tried valiantly to regain their peak form. Friday's snowstorm put Braves Field in terrible shape. Saturday afternoon, just about game time the temperature dropped considerably, and the game was played under very adverse conditions. While no injuries occurred, Bert Gleason, Brookline centre, had two of his fingers frozen. Once again Brookline profited by opponents' mistakes and capitalized the breaks to win out by a 7 to 6 score. Neither side made the point after its touchdown but the officials ruled that Everett was offside as Gleason attempted the goal for Brookline and awarded the point on a penalty.

The annual winter meeting of the Massachusetts Coaches Association will take place tomorrow at the University Club. Coach Allie Dickinson of Newton is vice-president of the organization.

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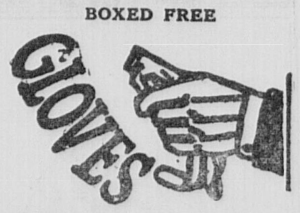
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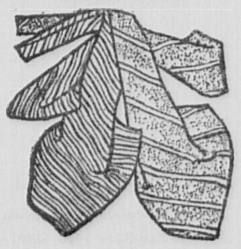
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ALDERMEN MEET

The aldermen held a regular meeting Monday night. All members of the Board were present exccpt Alderman Leany. He in common with the other plumbers in the city, was rendering first aid to householders whose plumbing, or heating equipment had been put out of kilter by the intense cold spell on Saturday and Sunday. An unusually small "gallery" missed one of the most interesting meetings of the past year. It would seem that residents of Newton are not much agitated over the alleged potential menace to the water supply of the city. None of them was present to listen to the discussion of this much advertised matter by the Aldermen. What would have otherwise been a very tame meeting, was turned into a lively session by Alderman Hodgdon. The Ward 5 member, who hails from the Upper Falls, is "from Missouri" when matters of import are apparently not receiving proper consideration. or publicity.

The first hearing called on petitions was that of the Fessenden School for a permit to store 500 gallons of gasoline for private use at 215 Albemarle road. No opposition appeared against this petition. Relative to the order for laying a drain and common sewer through Newton street from Chestnut Hill road to the end of the street, Alderman Earle explained that the State Department of Health requests this improvement because Newton street is but a short distance removed from the Chestnut Hill Reservoir, and a number of houses are being erected in this locality. The aldermen appropriated $4525 to build the drain and sewer. William McKee asked the Board for a division of the street betterment assessment on Brookdale road, Newtonville. No proponents or opponents appeared when hearings were announced on laying main drains from the Crafts street yard of the Street Department to the Newtonville drain, and through land of Francis Kirby off Crosby road.

The Public Works Committee recommended leave to withdraw on the petitions of Charles O'Malley and John C. Kiley for abatement of sewer assessments. It recommended these appropriations; repairs on B. & A. foot bridge at Newtonville, $1200; collection of ashes $2000; traffic signs $500; maintenance of property $300. The Board accepted these recommendations.

The Claims and Rules Committee's report, recommending leave to withdraw on the petitions of Grace T. Whittemore from change of zoning on Whittemore road, Newton; Lester Brett for permit to change a garage into a two-family house at 16 Weldon road, Ward 1; Joseph B. Jamieson for change of zoning on Vernon and Tremont streets, was accepted by the Board. All the petitions for permits for private garages were granted except that of Catherine Hannon for a 2-car garage at 14 Maple terrace. Permits for private garages held over from previous meetings, to have certain requirements met, which were granted, included H. F. Gibbs, 15 Churchill terrace, 7 1-2 feet from line at side, 10 feet from line at rear; Ethel P. Osborn, Fairlee road; Edwin R. Jump, 15 Nonantum street, not more than 7 1-2 from rear line and 29 feet from street line.

The Franchise and License Committee recommended the granting of the following petitions:—Colonial Filling Station, Beacon street at Langley road, additional 1000 gallon tank, one additional pump; Calvert Crary, 199 Walnut St. 500 gal. gasoline tank for private use; John Oliver, 53 Langley Rd., 1 additional pool table; Angelo Vitti, 193 Adams St., common victualler; Catherine McCarthy, 35 Nonantum place, change in garage location; Joseph Brady and William Sullivan, 1156 Walnut street, bowling alleys; Edison and Telephone Companies, pole locations—Evergreen avenue, 6 poles; Beacon street, Ward 5, 1 pole; Middlesex & Boston Street Railway, permit to run busses on Washington street to Lower Falls, Commonwealth avenue and Elm street to West Newton.

Alderman Baker asked for information regarding the buss permits. Chairman Bliss of the License Committee explained that the M. & B. desire to run busses on the streets named, and on other streets specified in the petition to provide for transportation of school pupils, and for such emergencies providing extra service, or supplanting the electric cars when heavy storms prevent the latter from being operated. He said that the petition had been drawn up by Manager Hanson of the M. & B. in conjunction with Citq Solicitor Bartlett, and that the interests of the city had been properly protected. Alderman Grebenstein suggested that while the aldermen are adding to the streets on which the Middlesex & Boston may operate busses, it would be well to authorize a buss line from Newton Corner to Newton Centre and Newton Highlands, along Centre street, as there is a growing demand for such service. Alderman Bail asked if the Aldermen have control of the streets on which busses may be run. He stated that M. & B. busses have been operated on streets other than those which are designated in the franchises given to this company. Mr. Bartlett stated that the aldermen cannot grant permits for busses which are not petitioned for by the M. & B. or other applicants. He also said that the M. & B. may run busses on any street, if they do not pick up or discharge passengers. The permits were granted to the M. & B.

Alderman Weeks asked Chairman Bliss of the Franchise Committee, "What are the reasons for the report recommending leave to withdraw on the petition of George F. Cahill for a gasoline station at 731 Washington street? Mr. Bliss explained that while 731 Washington street is in a business zone, this locus is now occupied by a residence, there are other residences along Washington street, on either side of it, and a large residential section in the rear of this site. A gas station will be a detriment to all these residences, and having an exit on Beach St., which is but 20 feet wide, would be a menace to traffic. Mr. Weeks said, "I can see no difference between this proposed station and most of those which have been granted on Washington street. There was a similar situation at the station which we granted at the corner of Washington and Lowell avenue. The petition asks for a station in a business district. There is no more danger there than at other stations. Why turn this down when we have granted others?

I would like an answer as to why this station is so different?" Alderman Hodgdon explained that he had voted against the Cahill petition because although in a business zone, it is in a residential neighborhood. He said that Marshall Hall had been refused a permit for a station a short distance east on Washington street, and should Cahill's petition be granted, Hall's permit should also be granted. The abutting residents have some rights. Alderman Grebenstein reminded Alderman Weeks that there had been no objectors to the gasoline station at the corner of Lowell avenue and Washington street, and that the persons owning the adjoining property had been taken care of. He would favor the Cahill petition if the persons owning residences nearby, had received the same favorable consideration as was accorded to owners of residences near the Lowell avenue station.

Alderman Earle asked regarding the change of the polling place in Precinct 3, Ward 6, from the Tennis Clubhouse to the Fire station on Manet Road? Alderman Bliss, who represents the Chestnut Hill precinct, stated that there has been much objection from voters living in that section of the precinct towards Newton Centre, because of being compelled to travel away over to the Brookline end of the district to vote. He expects that many protests will now be received from the voters who reside in his section, but that the effort is being made to attempt to satisfy all, and the change is being made temporarily, as a compromise.

Alderman Madden for the Claims and Rules Committee explained that the proposed change of zoning in the section bounded by Parker street and Ridge avenue, met with popular approval. He moved suspension of the rules to permit immediate action on this matter. His motion was carried, and this neighborhood will, in the future, be restricted to single family residences. At 9.45 a "short recess" was taken to permit the Finance and Water Committees to confer. This recess ended at 10.42. When the Board reassembled these appropriations were passed:—Law Department, miscellaneous expenses, $125; Workmen's Compensation $500; Maintenance Rifle Range $25; Repairs to Newtonville footbridge $1200; collection of ashes $2000; maintenance of automobiles and trucks $1000; Water Department, temporary clerk $100; Water Department, payment for water for 1925 from Metropolitan Water Commission $10,-156.67; Water Department for repairs on conduits and sidelines at water reservation at Needham $6000. Alderman Hodgdon then asked the Special Committee on Water to give information regarding the water situation, so that the residents of the city may have the real facts regarding Newton water. The remarks of Aldarmen Bail and Gallagher of the committee are given in another column. The meeting adjourned at 11.30.

Y. W. C. A.

Christmas plans are now well under way, and each club has planned a Christmas party.

The Blue Triangle Club will be entertained at their meeting of December 13 by Professor Louis C. Stanton who will play Christmas music. The club is glad to welcame Professor Stanton again and it is hoped that a large number will be present to enjoy his program. This club will hold its Christmas party on December 20. After supper served at 6.30 there will be a tree with gifts, this will be followed by a special program of dancing and games.

The High School group of Girl Reserves will have their party on December 17, at 7.30. There will be small gifts on the tree for each girl and refreshments. For their service work for the month of December, this group is giving gifts of money which will be used to purchase Christmas gifts for needy children.

December 22 and four o'clock is the date and hour chosen for the party for grade school girls. The program includes a tree and gifts as well as games.

The gym classes and bowling group continue to flourish and those who attend are getting a great deal of enjoyment as well as benefit from these classes.

There will be no classes or activities during the wek of December 27. The office will be open, however, from nine to five. Classes and clubs will resume their meetings on January 3.

BOY SCOUTS

The swimming meet at the Newton Y. M. C. A. Saturday night was won by the Seascouts, Ship No. 13 with 31 points, Troop 4 of Newton Highlands second with 20 points and Troop 5 of Newton Centre with 12 points was third. Troop 7 of West Newton made 11 points, Troop 1 of Newtonville 8 points, Troop 15 of Auburndale 6 points and Troop 11 of Newton took one second place which netted them 3 points. In the 50 foot dash for juniors Scout Jack of Troop 7, West Newton, was first, Esmond of Troop 1, second, and E. Davis of Troop 15, third. In the senior 50 foot dash Scout Nevin of troop 13 was first, Eddy of Troop 7 second, and DeMille of troop 13 third. The 100 foot junior swim was won by Weldon of Troop 5, D. Briggs and Riley of Troop 4 respectively. Scout Neven, of the Seascouts Arnold Nichols and A. A. Nichols of troop 1 took the three places in the 200 foot senior swim. The junior backstroke was taken by Dyer troop 15, Gilmour troop 4 and Whitney troop 1 and the senior by DeMille, Troop 13, Wilke troop 4 and Holmstrand, troop 5. Under water swimmnig was spectacular, Hartwell of the Seascouts, Ship 13 swimming 114 feet, Jack of Troop 7 107 feet, D. Briggs of Troop 4 105 feet and Billy Carleton of troop 5 99 feet. Several others did from 50 to 70 feet. The Junior 50 foot breaststroke was taken by Benson, troop 4, Toombs, Troop 11, and Gilmour, troop 4. The relay race was the big event, Seascout Ship 13 taking first place. Troop 5 Second and Troop 4 Third. This meet will be followed by another the latter part of January.

There have been 55 Scouts and 4 officers added to the Council since the first of November, making the biggest increase on record for the month of November. Troops 18 of the Baptist Church, Newton Centre and 19 of the Congregational Church at the same place were installed this week as mentioned in another part of this paper and additions have been made to several of the troops. There are now 428 registered scouts in the Council which are supervised by 50 active officers and in addition 43 Merit Badge Examiners. A Board of Special Examiners is now being formed to relieve the scoutmasters of certain examination work and several are in view for that important duty.

An Examining Court of Honor for Second Class and also for First Class First Aid will be held at the Playground House, Newton Centre, Tuesday the 14th at 7.30 P. M.

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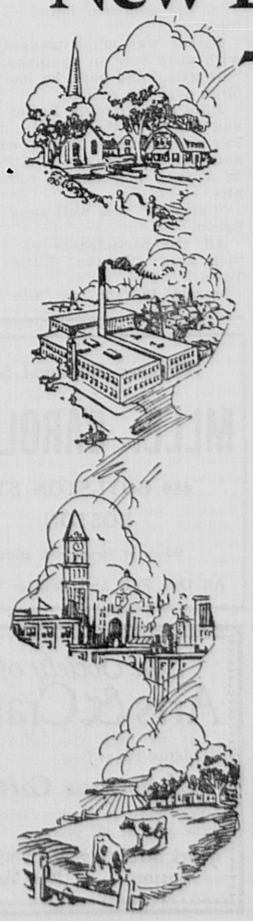
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Next Tuesday is Election Day for the City of Newton. Do you care for the future welfare of your city; do you care for your own, then, if you think the city can take care of itself without your effort to go to the polls and express yourself as to what kind of men you wish to have represent or serve you? Perhaps you may say it does not matter who is elected; they are all alike in the political world, and my life goes on just the same, anyway. But does it? Suppose you need to protest about something vital in your life. There isn't anything now, you say. There may be some day, very unexpectedly. Then you will want a man as your alderman who will be willing and considerate and kindly in listening to your plea—perhaps to protect you against change in zoning; perhaps to give you safe milk or water, that means the life of your child or a sick person; perhaps you want snow taken from in front of your driveway where it has been piled by city street cleaners, after you shovelled it for your car; perhaps you want something objectionable taken from before your door in the street; perhaps you want protection from hoodlumism; perhaps you want sand on the sidewalk to save your bones. Oh, yes, there are a great many things you see that mean your comfort, your peace, your very life in your city! City officials can help in your problem, whatever department it comes under. Then vote! Vote! Vote! And see that men are placed in power who will heed your requests, and of whom you will not be ashamed when they go to represent you in other cities, states or countries!

Club women do not need much arousing, but their families do, and your editor asks you as one of the Committee of Five appointed for our City to "do something to get out the vote", to be proud of your citizenship and VOTE!

RECENT EVENTS

West Newton Women's Educational Club

A substantial sum was netted for the treasury at the bazaar held on Friday last, by the West Newton Women's Educational Club, which is certainly good news worth announcing. Besides the success of the tables, the entertainment: "Please Stand By," was novel and unique.

The stage repreesnted the sitting-room of a home containing a radio, sent by the son to father and mother, who lived in an old-fashioned town.

The curtain at the rear represented a radio horn through which the announcer, Betty Blackler and those taking part stepped into the room.

Father—Constance Dort—was not pleased with the music, because he could not see those taking part. This rather disturbed mother—Constance Hartwell—because they were so isolated.

The colored maid, well impersonated by Leora Bacon, said: "If Marsa would only make a wish three times, those on the other end of the wire would appear." After much persuasion the wish was made, and through the horn, following the announcer stepped Ruth Woodward, who gave a very fetching solo on a banjo-uke; then a dance by Ruth Holbrook; and a piano solo by Dorothy Sharpe, dressed as an old-fashioned girl, was well rendered.

Jean Wolley, as a black cat, read her "krazy kat letters" and danced. This the audience found exceedingly funny.

Father was much pleased that his wish gave him an opportunity to see "the gals," and boys, he had heard so often over the radio.

Julia and Priscilla Bacon, as Goldy and Dusty in their dance; then Ann Rae and Margaret Peters, who looked most attractive as the A. & P. Gypsies, in a song and dance, were decided hits.

"Carmena" was well sung by Leora Bacon.

All the participants on the radio then sang: "In the Little Spanish Town."

Marion Jackson, as "Big Brother," and little Norman Sharpe, as "little brother," joined hands and bade the audience "Good-night."

The entertainment was given under the direction of Mrs. Louie A. Bacon.

The Garden City Radio Co. loaned the radio and the Aladdin Scenic Co. supplied the curtains.

Newton Centre Woman's Club, Inc.

Prof. Robert E. Rogers of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, who is to speak to the Club a second time, on Thursday afternoon, December 16th, at 3 o'clock, with the subject, "The Portrait of a Modern Poet," spoke at the last regular Club meeting.

A large audience heard his "Portrait of a Modern Novelist" on the afternoon of December 2nd, and Prof. Rogers said, as he started for his hat and coat after enjoying his tea and sandwiches: "We'll see if they liked it well enough to come again." One of the choice spirits, who heard his "Portrait of a Modern Novelist," said in her gentle voice: "I dont know that I agreed with all he said, but he certainly made me think. I shall surely come to his next lecture."

"The Modern Novelist," says Prof. Rogers, "creates a new race of young people who do not know sin and who are very much alive. 'Our fore-fathers, such a young person thinks, thought it a sin to be alive.'"

Prof. Rogers' address followed an interesting business session when reports from the various Federations were heard.

Mrs. Everett C. Winslow, for the Newton City Federation, Mrs. E. R. Speare for the Massachusetts State Federation at Hyannis, and the 12th District Director, Mrs. Joseph Congdon, all gave much pleasure by their well chosen topics and discriminating comments.

Mrs. Bertrand Taylor made a fine appeal for a generous response to the Christmas Seal Drive.

Six Club members have been called home since the Club year opened, and as they stood for the finer things of life, for so many fruitful years as Club members, so the Club stood for a silent moment, in loving remembrance of them, before adjourning for the program hour.

Newtonville Woman's Club

A meeting of the Newtonville Woman's Club was held at the Central Church on the afternoon of December 7th, at two-thirty o'clock, with Mrs. Austin H. Decatur presiding.

Among the notices read were the following: Mrs. Sholley asks that any one willing to help the Play Production Class by coloring or sewing will go to the home of Mrs. Percy E. Woodward, 125 Highland avenue, on Tuesdays. If this day is not convenient, by phoning Mrs. Woodward, arrangements may be made to go on Thursday. Mrs. Eames announces that the cook books have not all been sold as yet, and it is hoped that members will avail themselves of the opportunity to buy them for Christmas gifts.

Miss Florence Hills, of the Girl Scouts, made an appeal to the members of the Club, asking any who are able to extend hospitality to one or more delegates at the time of the Conference which is to be held here January 7, 8 and 9th, 1927.

A group of children, the messengers from Santa Claus, collected money on behalf of the Christmas Party Committee, to buy underwear, shoes, etc., for the annual party. Donations of clothing and toys will also be gratefully received by the Chairman, Mrs. Arthur W. Chamberlain. Mrs. Decatur later announced that the sum of $108.53 had been collected.

After the business meeting, the Glee Club of twenty members, under the leadership of Mrs. Dorothy Fairbanks Bassler, and accompanied by Miss Dorothy Curtis, sang three numbers, a Spanish and a French Christmas Carol, and a Russian Hymn of Thanksgiving. The hard work which the Glee Club has been doing was shown in their excellent singing.

Following the Glee Club, Mr. Julius Lucht, Librarian of the Newton Public Library, gave a short, interesting talk on some of the latest books, including biographies, poetry, and fiction. Then came a delightful hour with Booth Tarkington and Julian Street, when Miss Marguerite Ammann read "The Country Cousin", a play in four acts. The play is exceedingly humorous, and full of witty and pointed remarks, cleverly made by clever characters. The characters were so well pictured by the authors, and so ably presented by Miss Ammann, that they almost seemed to stand there before their audience. Miss Ammann is a recent graduate of the Leland Powers School, and has been reading lately at many Clubs around Boston.

After the meeting, tea was served by the Hospitality Committee. Mrs. Joseph C. Atkinson and Mrs. Henry J. Baringer were the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. Frank L. Nagle, Mrs. Robert C. Bridgham, Mrs. William Price, and Mrs. Francis J. Flagg, at the tea table.

COMING EVENTS

Monday Club of Newton Highlands

Mrs. S. H. Woodrow hospitably opens her home, 39 Forest street, for the members of the Monday Club on Monday, the 13th. Christmas festivities will be decidedly in the air at that time, for a Christmas Social is under the management of the Club president, Mrs. J. S. Patton, who has chosen for her aids in this mysterious attraction, Mrs. H. E. Williams, Mrs. F. A. Campbell, Mrs. C. A. Thompson, and Mrs. Ruth Mick. Mrs. J. T. Waterhouse is also to present the "Miracle Play", in addition to the above already alluring program. As usual, details of the method, and manner, and of original ideas for the presenting, are kept zealously hidden, or unannounced, so that curiosity is provoked, an added charm that is so cleverly the practice of this club.

C. L. S. C. of Newton Highlands

The "Writings of St'zle" will be the interesting topic for discussion by Miss Harriet M. Ward at the next meeting of the Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. This is in continuance of the topic for their last November meeting when the man, Charles Stelzle, his life, characteristics, and environment, were studied; an introduction to his works that makes them more understandable, from influences upon them, and more appreciated. In addition, Ross' "The Social Trend" will be presented and reviewed by Mrs. William E. Leonard. Mrs. Ernest G. Hapgood is hostess for this meeting, on Monday the 13th, at her home, 4 Chester street.

Newton Upper Falls Woman's Club

On Monday evening, December 13th, a Musical for the benefit of the Newton Upper Falls Womans Club Piano Fund will be given in the Emerson School Kindergarten room at eight o'clock.

The program has been carefully arranged to give special pleasure to Newton people. Two of our Newton musicians who are well known to school people—Mr. Edward Griffin of the school music department, and Miss Julia Tobin, of the Claflin School,—are to sing. Mrs. Raymond Simonds will play a group of piano solos. The choruses of two of the Newton Women's Clubs will sing: The Newton Highlands and Waban Club combined, and the Newton Upper Falls Club. The latter is newly organized this fall, and this musical will be its first public appearance.

In addition there will be readings by Miss Marjorie Sumpter of Boston, a Currie School graduate, who is already well known to Newton audiences for her delightful Southern interpretations and is warmly welcomed on all programs of the Newton Upper Falls Club.

It is hoped that many parts of Newton may be represented in the audience that night. The program will be worthy of their presence and interest.

Waban Woman's Club

Monday, December 13th, is Mothers' and Daughters' Day at the Waban Woman's Club. These get-togethers of fathers and sons and mothers and daughters have long since proven their value in establishing amiable relations, and have sometimes been quite surprising to the young people in the discovery that those peculiar ancients really have a lot of fun in them, and can even understand about fun, and have been as much of a surprise to the ancients in the discovery that those inexperienced, and unformed youngsters actually understand matters that were thought quite beyond

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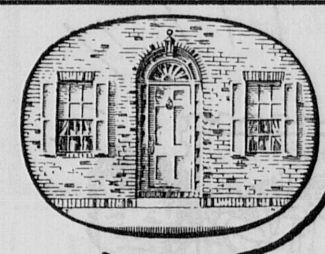
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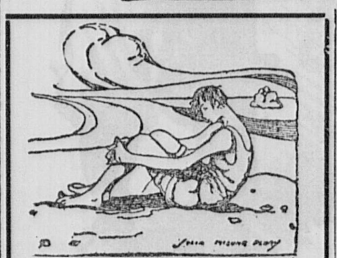
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SCHOOL NOTES

Bigelow School

At the assembly period Thanksgiving week, Miss Bragg, assistant superintendent of schools, entertained the pupils and teachers with Thanksgiving stories. Wednesday of last week the program was presented by pupils of the school.

Last Wednesday morning Catherine Ward, Mary Hill, and Richard Francis, from Miss Chase's room, gave a recitation entitled "Thanksgiving." Atossa Herring of the eighth grade gave a carefully prepared and well delivered talk on "Ants"—their habits, foods, homes, instincts, and life circle. This was made especially interesting by a glass case containing families of live ants in their nests and showing their methods of burrowing in the sand. Rev. Mr. Eusden then addressed the school. He told a Christmas story which Queen Marie of Roumania always recites to her family at Christmas time, to which the school listened most attentively.

Last week Christine Bernier was selected by a competitive spelling contest from the sixth and seventh grades to represent the school on Thursday evening in the Big Brother Spelling Bee. Mary Hill of the sixth grade was a close second.

Several children have secured instruments and are learning to play under the direction of Mr. Spaulding, who comes to us on Tuesday forenoons. This is a fine opportunity for boys and girls to learn to play wind instruments, and more ought to begin at once. Instruments may be rented or purchased by the pupils through the director.

A new science table for demonstration purposes has been installed in room 4, and is to be fitted with gas and water.

Angier School

These children, in Miss Lincoln's first grade, were neither absent nor tardy during the month of November: Margaret Bartram, Richard Berry, Richard Clark, Richard Gordon, Richard McClellan, Lois Colby, Eleanor Greene, Penelope Hart, Charles Hudson, Carl Klotz, Ruth Lucas, Ruth Scott, and H. Potter Trainer.

Forty-five fourth grade children went to the Children's Museum at Jamaica Plain last Thursday. They heard a lecture on the beaver, and saw pictures of the beavers' homes, etc.

The two first grades gave a Mother Goose program in the assembly hall Wednesday morning. Peter Ayer led the music, Dougald MacDonald the prayer, and Franklin Sweetser the flag salute. Health poems were given by Sylvia Pierce, George Goodspeed, Theodore Davidson, Lois Colby, Robert Black, Ruth Lucas, and Richard MacLellan. The following children dramatized Mother Goose rhymes: Margaret Bartram, Ruth Scott, John Scarlet, Potter Trainer, Margaret Seaver, Virginia Towsley, Gardner Creamer, Nancy Howatt, Eleanor Greene, Jane Mosser, George Garrison, Chester Churchill, Fay Hollander, Frances Walker, and Anne Woods. Ray Arnold took the part of Old Mother Manners and Dorothy Gardner, Edith Moir, Charles Burrows, John Miller, Nancy Rogers, Ida Leona Rice, and Charles Dearborn were her seven children.

Two Health Clubs have been formed in Mrs. Leavitt's third and fourth grade. These clubs are competing for highest number of points in playing the Health Game. These officers have been elected:—James Burer, President; Viola St. Lawrence, Vice-President of Club I. Clinton Ferguson is President and Aldrich Prouty Vice-President of Club II.

The 8th grade is to have a debate at their next assembly. The subject is: Resolved—"That careless pedestrians are responsible for more accidents than careless drivers." Paul Rycroft is the leader of one side and Robert La Crosse of the other.

A meeting of the Safety Council was held December 8th at 3.30. Reports of patrols were heard. Special commendation was given Robert White for patrol work outside the school building. It was voted to post, in the school, names of all members of the Council. The council is preparing a play called "What's the Idea—Safety?" and it is also getting ready to present its cause to all the grades. All possible efforts are being made to protect boys and girls from the dangers incurred in hopping trucks, snowballing in the wrong places, skating on thin ice, etc.

The Mason School

Soccer has taken the leading place among out-of-door activities until the recent snow fall. For boys of grammar school age, the game has begun to be the most popular in many of the surrounding communities, and Newton is not far behind.

The greater difficulty has been the lack of men who understand the game. Consequently Mr. Hermann of the Playground Department hired Jock McIntyre, Captain of the Boston Professional Team, to come to each of the playgrounds of Newton, and instruct the boys and directors in the fine arts of the game. Happily a better choice could not have been made, and the enthusiasm of the boys increased in leaps and bounds.

A school league was formed late this fall and the Mason School was represented. The Newton Centre School has made a fairly good showing, having won two games, tied one, and lost one. The boys are all quite won over to soccer, and it is believed that next year that soccer will be instituted as the favorite fall sport among the Grammar schools of Newton.

The children of the Mason responded generously to the request for clothing. Mr. Furbush can place these and any further contributions in just the right homes.

Mr. Spaulding will have a good band if the boys and girls who have signed up for musical instruments do their part. The response to his "bugle call" is gratifying, and teachers and pupils are working together to have the Mason well represented in any musical event which may take place.

Again the Mason is indebted to the Parent-Teacher Association which has presented thirty new records selected by Mr. Griffin for the study of musical appreciation.

Their splendid, helpful co-operation is appreciated by teachers and pupils.

F. A. Day Junior High School

The air is fairly alive with Christmas spirit isn't it? This pre-seasonal storm has done much to make people feel more Christmasy. What do those who go down South do to trump up Christmas spirit when there is no tang and tingle in the air? It even seems easier to spend money on gifts for others when there is snow on the ground. We don't know the reason why this is so, so do not ask us. Miss Seale felt the brunt of this storm more than the other teachers on the Junior High School faculty. She went up to New Hampshire over the week end to rest and to recuperate from a bad cold. When Sunday came she was both rested and running the chance of being able to rest for some days to come for the snow was falling thick and fast and up in those towns where the event of a mail train is something to write home about—being snowed in is nothing at all to experience. Luck and the Gods smiled on her, however, and she arrived safely, only an hour later than schedule time.

Speaking of Miss Seale's having to recuperate from a cold, she, no doubt, became over tired last week for she had the duties of home room and office on her shoulders. Miss Coleman, our genial Secretary, was laid up with a broken toe. We all express our sympathy and realize that the accident is not half so funny as Miss Coleman makes it out to be. We missed her good nature and her sense of buffoonery and were only too glad to see the the cab which is now her daily conveyance draw up before the door on Monday morning.

Miss Coleman, by the way, is quite sure that there is a Santa Claus for she let us in "on the know" the other day and told us that she is going to get a pair of Congress gaiters and a rubber tip to her cane for her Christmas presents!

We have with us a concoctor of original dishes in the culinary line. Miss Pratt would cause even Marjorie Mills to look to her laurels with the latest dish which she has invented for the delectation of the Junior High School. Faculty and students alike were blessed. A short time ago, while those in the lunch room were preparing Spanish rice, Miss Pratt ventured the belief that beef in place of the rice would be very tasty. And lo, it was tried and her fame spread, for it was good.

The Assembly for the week was in charge of Miss Johnstone.

Books are constantly being written for grown ups to plead the cause of the Negro. Resulting from the propaganda in Porgy Nigger Heaven," "The Quaint Companions" etc., the negro is more and more coming into his own.

Children of Junior High School age do not have access to such literature but a dignified, well-poised and pleasant-faced woman subtly pleaded for the Old South and its negro retainers —on the Assembly Hall platform on Wednesday last.

Mrs. Irving O. Palmer, former President of the Federation of Woman's Clubs, held the undivided attention of her youthful audience with her talk which very cleverly combined fact and story. Her stories gave a clear idea of the humor and pathos which is so characteristic of the entire negro race. They also gave Mrs. Palmer an opportunity to shsow her skill in the use of negro dialect.

From the bits of darky songs which she wove into her program we felt a strong desire to hear Mrs. Palmer in an entire program of Negro Spirituals which are just now so very much in vogue.

Lasell

On Tuesday esvening at the Congregational Church Lasell Seminary united with the Auburndale Woman's Club in presenting to the Auburndale public Mr. Phidelah Rice in readings from David Garrick. The Lasell Glee Club furnished music.

The first pupils' musical recital of the year was given Wednesday evening, December 8, in Bragdon Hall. The program concluded with the Ctantata, St. Mary Magdalene by D'Indy given by the Orphean Club, with George Sawyer Dunham conducting, Jean Stanley Goodrich at the piano, and Harold Schwab at the organ.

The musical recital by the pupils of the junior department was given at Woodland Park Hall on Friday afternoon, December 10.

The Christmas dinner, followed by of the Dramatic Club, was held on an entertainment under the direction Saturday evening, Dec. 11, in Bragdon Hall.

Dr. Ashley Day Leavitt of the Harvard Church, Brookline, will have charge of the Christmas Vespers on Sunday evening, December 12 at 6.15 in the Chapel. The Lasell Glee Club will sing Christmas carols.

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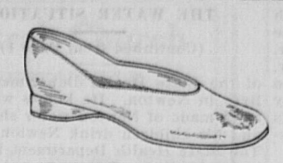
The Newton Woman's Christian Temperance Union is distributing comfort bags for filling—thread, needles, pins, etc.— and sending as Christmas gifts to soldiers and sailors.

Members and friends are requested to knit, of yarn any color, one or more six inch squares, toward a warm winter rug. Please communicate with Mrs. Katherine Hapgood, Superintendent, Soldiers and Sailors Department. Tel. C. N. 3349-M.

DEATH OF MR. COLSON

Mr. William W. Colson, who has been connected with the Graphic in the production of several Memorial books, died Wednesday at his home in Winthrop after a long illness. Mr. Colson was 59 years of age, and had been engaged in newspaper work for many years. He is survived by his widow and two sons.

At the time of his death Mr. Colson was working on a War Memorial of Newton, the publication of which will be somewhat delayed on this account.

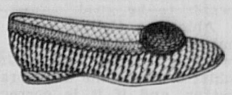


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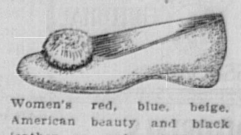


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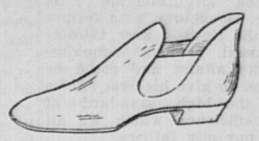
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NEWS FROM THE COLLEGES

By Harold P. Carver, N. H. S. '26

Shortly after the Civil War the college now known as Wellesley opened its doors to women in an effort to enlighten and at the same time lighten the load that they had been bearing for centuries. Nestled around picturesque Lake Waban with its famed field days and canoe races it is one of the most attractive spots in the vicinity of Boston. Along the boulevard the automobiles go on their way but the towers of Tower Hall cast their beetling shadows over the busy thoroughfare as a symbol of the learning and a talisman of the companionship to be found within. All in all Wellesley is a most attractive place and with its conveniences in the way of being near a city, and, needless to add, that college on the Charles, it well deserves its standing as the second college for women in enrollment.

Here one could spend some days merely bowing to old Newton acquaintances for of all the girls' colleges this has more Newtonians than any other, and almost any other combination of colleges as far as numbers of Newton girls in attendance goes. Just to vary our usual order of events let up take up the entering class this year which was a large one. One of the leaders in this group is Florence Sawyer of Waban. Graduating from Newton in 1925, she spent last year at Dana Hall, where she attended strictly to studying with the result that she entered Wellesley with flying colors this fall. She was a newcomer in the Newtons for she had spent a greater part of her life in the West, and, in consequence, she did not do a great deal in the way of outside activities until her last season when she became a member of the Library Club, and in the same connection obtained membership in the English Club at the same time. In this work she was most successful as her literary work was of excellent quality, especially in the lines of verse writing. She also was elected to Alpha Gamma Tau, the mathematics organization, and at the same time joined the French Club. As a final effort she was one of the feature writers in the edition of the Newtonian of that year. At Wellesley she has taken up her old favorite, golf, and is captain of the freshman team. She is a most promising golfer due to her experience at the Brae Burn course, and seems to be capable of making the varsity in later days.

Three other entrants this year are Elizabeth Schipper of Auburndale, Harriot Schell from Newton, and Doris Sargent from West Newton Hill. The latter had all manner of honors given to her because of her high standing scholastically for the time that she was in the school. In the club activities she held high places in the Alpha Beta for her first two years, and later was in the mathematics club for two seasons. Her final terms were busy ones and the French Club held the greater part of her interest, although at the production of the Senior Play she was the head of the senior committee in charge. Harriot Schell is another Westerner, coming to Newton in the lower classes of high school. Her interests were many, covering practically all the phases of outside work. In her senior year she was president of the Library Club, an honor of some consequence since it meant that she was probably one of the most popular girls in her class besides being recognized as one of the leaders in executive lines. She was prominent in dramatic circles belonging to the organization that governs such activities for two seasons. In her last year she had the leading feminine role in the now annual presentation of this club. This, by the way, is one of the finest pieces of amateur work that can be seen in suburban Boston, for under Miss Wetherbee's coaching the dramatic group always puts on stage an excellent play, combined with exceptionally good acting. Brownie, as she more often is called, was on the roll-call of the English Club for two years and for a like number enjoyed the rights and privileges of the Spanish Club, a subject in which she was unusuall proficient. An unusual occurrence in the usual run of such affairs is that for the comparatively long time of three years she was a leader in the French Club, and in the last season participated in the new venture, a French play given in its native tongue. She also joined the Latin Club, a difficult organization to become a member in, and as a proof of her scholastic ability she was on the Honor Roll for three successive years and at graduation was one of the top honor students in the school. As a final effort she carried a leading part in the Senior Play and also wrote a great deal for the Newtonian. The third member is a take-off to a large degree on her predecessors since she was a most brilliant student. In her senior year she held offices in three of the best extra curricula groups in the college namely:—the French, Mathematics, and Library Club. In the English Club she did her best work, being a member for two years, besides doing a deal of clever literary pieces throughout the terms. And an achievement in Public Speaking was hers when she was one of the two girl speakers in the finals in 1923.

A girl from Newton Centre is another one of the freshman class, Katherine Lotz. As a legislator she was one of the leaders in the formation of the Constitution, as she was a delegate to the convention and later a member of the newly formed legislature. She was treasurer of Le Cercle Francais in her senior year and at the same time was in the English Club. As a student she was one of the brightest in that class of 1926 and for this reason was on the Honor Roll for all her years in attendance. In English work she was the head of the copy staff of the Newtonite for two years and did a splendid piece of work, being in part responsible for the excellence of the copy formation of the paper. Athletically she played on the hockey teams her first and last years as forward.

DEATH OF MRS. WYETH

Mrs. Josephine Wyeth, wife of Walter F. Wyeth, died suddenly of pneumonia at the family home on Quidnic road, Waban, on Monday. Mrs. Wyeth, who was the daughter of Robert Ames Shailer of New York and the late Grace (Hooper) Shailer, was born in Wilmington, Del., Feb. 24, 1882, but spent most of her early life in Chicago. When she was eighteen years old, her family moved to Brookline, where she lived until her marriage in 1905. She was a graduate of The Wheelock School in Boston. Besides her husband, a Harvard man of the class of 1889, she leaves in her immediate family one son, Walter F. Wyeth, Jr., Harvard '29, and three daughters, Miss Grace Wyeth, Miss Marjorie Wyeth and Miss Nancy Wyeth.

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EDITORIALS

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The people of Newton should be congratulated on the opportunity to avail themselves of the services of Mr. Harold T. Dougherty as a member of the city government for 1927 and we trust he will receive substantial support at the city election next Tuesday. Mr. Dougherty, as a former librarian of the Newton Free Library has an unusual personal acquaintance with city affairs and could be depended upon to give his best efforts to maintain the high standard of service and efficiency which we all expect from our city fathers.

The election of an alderman at large from Wd. 4 is the only city wide contest at the coming election. There are three ward contests in which the sitting members are candidates for re-election. In Ward 2, there is a fine opportunity to elect Mr. Augustus L. Wakefield, which ought not to be neglected. We believe that Mr. O'Connell has held this office long enough and that it is time to make a change particularly when a man like Mr. Wakefield is willing to serve the city.

In Ward 4, Alderman Noone, who has served but one year, is clearly entitled to the re-election which is apparently coming to him next Tuesday.

In Ward 5, Alderman Favinger has rendered splendid service and ought not to be even opposed for re-election. It has long been recognized that the three distinct civic centres in Ward 5, the Upper Falls, Newton Highlands and Waban should each have a representative in the board of aldermen and the candidacy of Mr. McKenzie, from the Upper Falls section, already represented by Alderman Hodgdon, is a clear violation of that understanding and ought to be frowned upon by the voters of Ward 5.

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We have a feeling that it is useless to urge our citizens to vote at the coming city election. With an election with only one city wide contest and with only three ward contests the people will refuse to take it seriously even though a city government so chosen may have some effect on the tax payer's pocket book. The one remedy which we believe would be of some value in this state of mind, is a change to biennial elections, whereby the city government would be elected at the same time a mayor is chosen, with a possible greater interest on the part of the voters.

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While the preferential system of voting will apply to the election of aldermen-at-large from Ward 4, the issues in that contest are so plain that there is no need to exercise a second choice. The election lies between Mr. Dougherty and Mr. Heathcote, and while there is a third candidate, his support is so small that it will cut little figure in the result.

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The patrons of the Commonwealth Avenue-Lake Street line of trolleys should take a deep interest in the public meeting to be held next Monday evening at the Commonwealth Country Club to discuss a series of plans to improve the terminal facilities at the junction of these two lines.

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The committee in charge of the sale of Christmas seals in this city earnestly urge the people of this city not to purchase seals from children who go from door to door. Such seals are not authorized by the committee in charge of the Health work.

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You can lighten the labors of the letter carriers, the postal clerks and the expressmen if you do your Christmas shopping early.

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We wonder if Mayor Childs expects to beat the record of Mayor Ashley of New Bedford.

D. A. R.

Lucy Jackon Chapter, D. A. R., is celebrating its thirtieth anniversary this week. Yesterday there was a luncheon at the Woodland Golf Club, attended by State officers and the regents of many chapters. The celebration will continue until Sunday with open house at the Chapter House in the Lower Falls.

An interesting exhibit of old china, glass, pewter, silver, samplers, jewelry and other treasurers will be held at the Chapter House and each room will be presided over by members in Colonial costume.

Sunday will be Guest Day for friends of members.

FORD—LYNCH

The wedding of Miss Mary O. Lynch of Lincoln Park, West Newton, and Mr. Fred Bennett Ford of the Newton Theological Institution of Newton Centre, took place Sunday afternoon in Colby hall of the Institution, the ceremony being performed by Rev. A. Herbert Hslam. Miss Ruth L. Aldrich of Winchendon was maid of honor and Mr. Harold V. Jensen of Newton Centre was best man. A reception followed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford will make their home in Newton Centre.

THE WATER SITUATION

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of the State Health Department who lives in Newton. He knows what the tests made of Newton water show. He and his children drink Newton water. The State Health Department is making daily tests of Newton water. Our consulting engineers, Weston and Sampson, are making weekly tests which are four times as exacting as those made by the state officials. Thus there is a double check on Newton water. All the recent tests show the water to be good."

Alderman Collins asked if the removing of the sediment from the wooden conduit will not remove the chief cause of the discoloration of the water, and if it is correct that the sediment in it is not detrimental to health. He remarked that the great majority of Newton people are reasonable, and more interested in knowing what is being done about improving the city's water supply, than they are anxious about changing to the Metropolitan system.

Mr. Bail replied, "that the sediment is not detrimental to health and that few complaints have been received since the large mains were cleaned as compared with the number of complaints received before. Commissioner Whitney is keeping a card index of complaints and had received none for 10 days preceding this day. Of course a broken hydrant, or some similar disturbance will cause the water in the mains on nearby streets to become muddled. The Crenothrix in the conduit has been gathering for 36 years. All the mains on the side streets will have to be cleaned. On short lengths of main, such as a few hundreds of feet, the streets will not be torn up to install the scraping machine. These short lengths will be flushed. If we start to use water from the Metropolitan supply, we will get plenty of kicks within 24 hours, because this water, being soft, will act as a solvent and loosen the sediment in the mains which have not been yet scraped."

Alderman Gallagher said, "Alderman Bail has been very efficient as Chairman of the Committee, of which I am a member. We have in this city about the best water of any city in the country. It is almost as good as Poland Spring water. Newton water has never been polluted. The past year has been the healthiest Newton has ever had. The only reason I would consent to serve on the Board is because of my interest in the water supply. We have been meeting the situation and no one can make us deviate from our course. The only persons we will take notice of, is the State Department of Health. We are anxious to co-operate with it. When we clean the wooden conduit out, we must use Metropolitan water. We could not get this water until recently. I hope those who have been crying for Metropolitan water will get enough of it within the next 10 days. Some of the carboys in this city which are supposed to contain spring or distilled water, have been refilled with Newton water. We have a good supply of water and the Metropolitan Commission would be glad to get some of it if they could. The Wachusett supply has been almost depleted. The State has reently appropriated $70,000,000 for an additional Metropolitan water supply. The water in the Clinton basin is supposed to have several months to percolate. The Metropolitan District is now using water that fell in the last rain storm up Clinton way. It is the easiest thing in the world to spread untruths. The rumors circulated about the pollution of Newton water will seriously affect the value of property in this city. We have no contamination at our water reservation. Nothing but crows fly over it. In 1921 Mr. Rogers, the then City Engineer, recommended that the wooden conduit be cleaned out, but he mentioned that this could not be done until a large water main would be built across the city. This main, the new 20 inch pipe along Commonwealth avenue, was completed just six weeks ago."

KIWANIS CLUB

At the annual meeting of the Kiwanis Club on Tuesday, Clement Coburn was elected President, Rev. Earl Harper and Frank Pope Vice Presidents, William E. Cahill, Treasurer, James P. Gallagher, Trustee. At the next meeting, on December 14, the members will entertain their ladies and members of the Kiwanis Club of Waltham. The gathering will be entertained by a program under the direction of Rev. Earl Harper. The talent will include the Glee Club and orchestra of Lasell Seminary, Clara Lieber Harper, soprano soloist, Arthur O. Welcome, tenor, James Houghton, baritone, Cleon Hopkins, trumpet soloist, and Harold Schwab, pianist.

MIDDLESEX COURT, M. C. O. F.

Tuesday evening, December 14, Middlesex Court will hold a Whist and Forty-Five Party in Elks Hall at 8 P. M., n aid of the Christmas Fund of the Order. Miss Margaret C. Vahey is Chairman of the Committee in charge, and she will be assisted by a number of the members of the Court.

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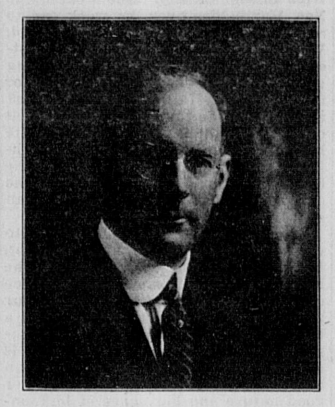
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Mr. Dougherty was Librarian of Waltham, Mass., 1907-1910; of Pawtucket, R. I., 1910-1915; of Newton, 1916-1925.

During the World War he served with the American Library Association in Texas, in Virginia and in France.

He is Director and Treasurer of Newton Y. M. C. A., and a member of several committees of the Auburndale Congregational Church.

He is an able, well informed, conscientious and public spirited citizen—just the kind of a man **Newton NEEDS** on its Board of Aldermen.

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Auburndale

—Vote next Tuesday for Harold T. Dougherty for Alderman from Ward 4.

—Mrs. J. R. Draper of Melrose street is leaving on Saturday for Florida.

—The Christian Era Study Club met Tuesday afternoon with Miss Blanche Noyes of Williston road.

—The Acquaintance Club meets next Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Walter S. Hall of Wolcott street.

—The Woman's Association of the Congregational Church held an all day sewing meeting on Wednesday.

—The many friends of Mrs. Ray Adams of Sharon avenue will be pleased to know that she is rapidly recovering from her recent severe illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Pendleton of 33 Aspen avenue are entertaining their aunts, Mrs. H. Nelson Lapham of Plattsburg, and Miss Anna C. Maxwell of New York who has just returned from a European trip.

—The oratorio of "The Messiah" will be given next Thursday evening at the Centenary M. E. Church by the combined choirs of the Centenary, Needham Heights and the Tremont Street, Boston, Methodist Churches.

—Don't forget the annual fair and chicken pie supper at the Parish Hall at the Church of the Messiah on Saturday. Many useful and fancy articles will be for sale, also home cooked pies, cakes, cookies and baked beans.

—The second of the series of bridge parties for the lady members and friends of the Auburndale Club was held in the lounge of the Club House Thursday afternoon and was well attended. Mrs. John E. Carter had charge of the party and was assisted by young ladies of the club. Refreshments were served and attractive prizes awarded.

GIRL SCOUTS

(Continued from Page 1)

ton will be followed by monologues by Miss Dorothy Stebbins. Those who have heard Miss Stebbins do her delightful monologues will be glad to hear her again.

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Waban

—Vote next Tuesday for Favinger for Ward Alderman.

—Vote next Tuesday for Harold T. Dougherty for Alderman from Ward 4.

—Mrs. Harry M. Came of Kelveden Road was this week's hostess of the Monday Neighborhood Club.

—William H. North of this village has been elected a member of the Phi Betta Kappa at Dartmouth College.

—Mrs. Howard T. Williams was one of the winners at the recent annual show of the Pekingese Association of New England.

—Albert Root of Collins Road, who was eight years old on Tuesday, had 21 of his little boy friends in to help him celebrate the day.

—Miss Eleanor Cunningham of Waban Avenue, has been in New Haven for several weeks visiting her uncle, who is a professor at Yale.

—The Women's Branch of the Church Service League is to hold its next meeting on Tuesday of next week with Mrs. Harry L. Tilton as hostess.

—Mrs. E. J. Ireland, who has been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Kellaway on Wyman street, has gone to Omaha, Nebraska, for the winter. Later on she expects to go to California.

—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel D. Elmore, who sold their home on Windsor Rd. to Mr. Roy H. Booth a year ago, will spend the winter at Alden Park Manor. Mrs. Elmore's sister, Mrs. Mary Perkins, will be with them there.

—Mrs. Helen Talboy is to give a lecture on "Present European Conditions" in the Parish House of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Wednesday evening, December 15, at 8 o'clock. The affair is in aid of the Union Church Organ Fund. Mrs. Talboy, who is a gifted speaker, arrived in this country on Oct. 27, from a tour of England, Holland, France, Austria, Poland and Switzerland.

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At this hearing all persons interested will have an opportunity to speak.

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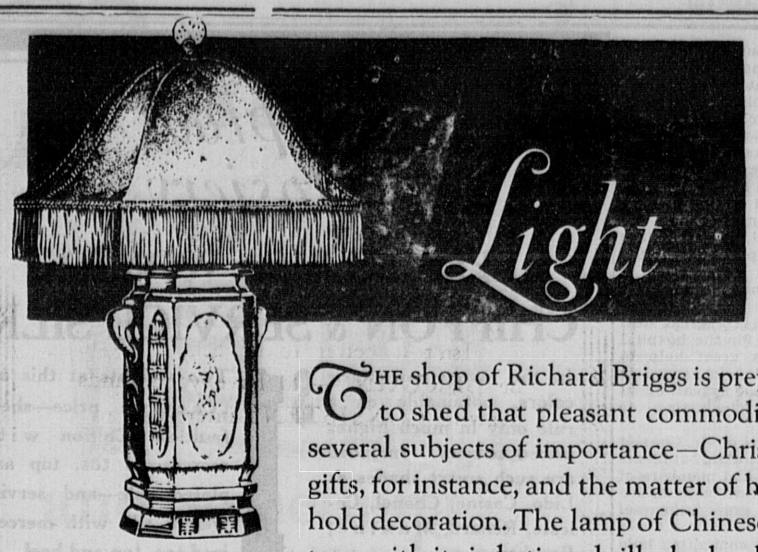
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Newton Centre

—Vote next Tuesday for Harold T. Dougherty for Alderman from Ward 4.

—The Wednesday Club met at the home of Mrs. C. B. Gordon of Sumner street.

—The Mather Class held its monthly social last evening in the Baptist Chapel.

—December 19th will be observed as Christmas Sunday at the Baptist Church.

—On Wednesday evening there was a Father's and Son's banquet at the Baptist Church.

—The Ladies' Night of the Men's Club of Trinity Church will be held Wednesday evening.

—Last Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Smith of Beacon street celebrated their golden wedding.

—Mrs. W. A. Ogg of Montvale road entertained The Mother's Rest Club at lunch last Wednesday.

—Last Friday Mrs. H. S. Rowley gave a dinner for her Sunday School class of fourteen girls at her home on Devon road.

—On Thursday Miss Heloise Hersey gave a review on the book, "Sorrell and Son" at the home of Mrs. Harold Greene on Marshall street.

—The Philathea Class of the Baptist Church held an enjoyable social Monday evening at the home of Mrs. R. R. West on Centre street.

—Rev. Dr. Smith T. Ford of Fall River will preach next Sunday in the Baptist Church. Dr. Arbuckle will preach at Andover Academy.

—Last Saturday Mr. Settle took the "Flying Indians" (one of the boy's clubs of the Congregational Church) of which he has charge, on a historic trip through Boston.

—Mr. L. H. Fitch of Sumner street went over to New York last week for a few days' visit with his sister, Mrs. A. W. Barnard, who is living on Riverside Drive this winter.

—A very enjoyable Old Folks' Concert was given by the Choir of the Methodist Church on Wednesday evening. All members were dressed in old fashioned costumes.

—Mr. E. H. Eldridge is making a careful survey of the 1250 women in Simmons College to learn which one of the ten commandments are considered the first from a moral point of view. Some very interesting results have already been noted.

—Sarah Sheldon Mumford, daughter of the late Hettie T., and James H. Mumford, 2nd, of Providence, Rhode Island, died last Friday at her late residence, 17 Stearns street. Her funeral was held Monday morning. Burial was at the North Burial Grounds, Providence.

—Alessandro Niccoli, violinist, from the Royal Conservatory of Florence, Italy, will play in Trinity Church next Sunday night, the following numbers: "The Swan" (Saint Saens). Meditation from "Thais" (Messenet), Shubert's "Ave Maria." Rev. Edward T. Sullivan will be the preacher. Subject, "Casuals of Character: or First Aid to the Morally Injured."

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West Newton

—Vote next Tuesday for Harold T. Dougherty for Alderman from Ward 4.

—Mr. J. Cheever Carley of Eliot avenue is on a hunting trip in Plymouth.

—Mr. Otto H. Kahn, the New York banker, was a guest of Mrs. Henry Jewett last Saturday.

—Rev. Dr. Robert McDonald, formerly of Worcester will preach next Sunday at the Second Church.

—Miss Rosemary Park, '28, and Miss E. R. Noreen, '28, are on the honor list at Radcliffe College.

—The first choral vesper service of the Second Church will take place Sunday afternoon, December 19th.

—Mrs. H. B. Day and Mrs. Enoch C. Adams entertained the Journey Club at luncheon on Thursday of last week.

—The young ladies of Miss Allen's School are giving a dance this Saturday afternoon for their young men friends.

—Mrs. J. Cheever Carley of Eliot avenue opened her home on Monday evening for the Evangelistic meeting of West Newton W. C. T. U.

—Word has been received of the death of Mr. Charles W. Florence of New York. Mr. Florence was a former resident of Henshaw St.

—The Men's Club of West Newton will meet next Thursday night in the Unitarian parish house. Hon. Courtnay Crocker will be the speaker.

—The Opportunity Club meets at the Second Church on Sunday evening at 7.30. Topic for discussion: "Is it more blessed to give than to receive?" All young people of High School age and over are cordially invited to attend these meetings.

—Boynton Lodge of Odd Ladies will hold a sale of Food and Fancy Articles on Tuesday, December 14 at 15 Northgate Park. They will also hold a sale of food and fancy articles on Saturday, the 18th, at the Caroline Block, Washington St. Both sales will start at ten a. m.

—Mr. E. Rupert Sircom, the organist at the Unitarian church, has accepted a position as organist at St. Thomas' church in New York city. Mr. Sircom has been organist here for the past three years. He will continue to reside here making week end trips to New York city. He will conclude his service here next Sunday.

—At the Unitarian Church on last Sunday the anthem "Agnus Dei" written by Miss Eliabeth B. Cushman was performed very successfully by Mr. Sircom's choir. This anthem was performed for the first time in the parish at Fontainebleau, France. Miss Cushman studied at the Conservatoire Americain last summer at which school the anthem was composed.

—The regular monthly meeting and luncheon of the Woman's Guild of the Second Church was held on Tuesday in the church parlors. The speakers of the afternoon were Miss Helen Paine, formerly of West Newton, and now in charge of the Children's work at the Morgan Memorial and Mrs. George A. Frost, president of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Morgan Memorial.

—Clement D. Coady of Waltham street has been elected second marshal of the class of 1927 at Harvard University. Coady prepared at Exeter, and has played on the varsity football team for three years, being captain of the team this fall. He has also played on the varsity hockey team and was last year a member of the championship Harvard hockey team. He is also a member of the student council.

Waban

—Mr. W. D. Strand has moved into a recently completed house on Wilde road.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Gates are to entertain their Evening Bridge Club on Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. John T. Croghan of Chestnut street have gone to New York for a week's stay.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thornton of Byfield road are being congratulated on the recent birth of a baby boy.

—Proctor Chandler of Milton has come to Waban to live, having recently finished his house in Caroline park.

—Andrew B. Sides, vice-president and manager of the Eastern S. S. Co. has just moved into his new home on Fenwick road.

—Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Rice, Jr., of Wollaston, spent the week end at the home of the former's parents on Waban avenue.

—Mrs. Thomas I. Taylor and Mrs. Charles L. Ziegler were joint hostesses at one of the series of "Vanishing Luncheons" on Friday of last week.

—Mrs. Duane C. White of Avalon road has gone to Kansas City to spend Christmas with relatives. Mr. White will join her there later in the month.

—At the Young People's Forum next Sunday evening there will be an address on "The Youth of Today as the Business Man or Woman of Tomorrow."

—Mrs. Robert W. Moore, Jr., has been in Hamilton, New York, for the past two weeks, staying with Mrs. Moore's mother, who is ill at her home there.

—Mrs. Harriet Pierson, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Mazzur of Windsor road for the past two months, has returned to her home in Maplewood, New Jersey.

—On Friday, December 17, there wil be a Missionary Tea at the home of Mrs. R. E. Argersinger, 133 Collins road, to which all Waban women are invited. The speaker will be Miss Caroline Smiley, a young missionary from Satara, India, who is reported to be a delightful speaker. Miss Smiley will dress in native costume.

Central Church
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Newtonville

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—Mr. William B. Hanna is the golf champion of the Central Club.

—Vote next Tuesday for Augustus L. Wakefield for Ward Alderman.

—Vote next Tuesday for Harold T. Dougherty for Alderman from Ward 4.

—E. L. Decker, Jr., of this village has been elected to the Chi Psi society at Yale.

—Mr. William E. Brigham, has just been elected president of the Veteran Boston Journalists.

—Mr. and Mrs. William T. Halliday are receiving congratulations on the recent birth of a son.

—The Barnacles will meet next Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Donald Robb of Grove Hill avenue.

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—Mr. Robert S. Paine, the father of Mr. W. Wellington Paine of this village, died suddenly this week at West Somerville.

—At the annual meeting of the New England History Teachers' Association, Mr. Horace Kidger was re-elected secretary.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Urquhart of Linwood avenue are moving this month to their recently purchased house on California street.

—Joseph C. Saunders has been elected to the Skull, the honorary society at the College of Business Administration at Boston University.

—The Boys' Night of the Central Club on Monday was a most enjoyable occasion. Captain-elect Roy Randall of the Brown football team was the guest of honor and gave a fine talk on "Faith."

—The second assembly at the Newton Club under the direction of Mr. Joseph Champagne was held last Friday evening with more than thirty couples present. Mrs. Charles Slocum and Mrs. Richard C. Ashenden were the hostesses.

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Paine Carter of Highland avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Martha Augusta Carter, to Warren Giddings Hill of Worcester, formerly of Newtonville. Miss Carter is a graduate of Vassar, class of 1925.

Newton Upper Falls

—Do not buy Health Seals from children.

—Vote next Tuesday for Favinger for Ward Alderman.

—Vote next Tuesday for Harold T. Dougherty for Alderman from Ward 4.

—Neil T .Mahoney, '29, is a member of the Student Council at Northeastern College.

—Miss Marie MacDonald of Hale street is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. West of Auburndale.

—Rev. Dr. W. G. Richardson of Watertown, will preach next Sunday morning and evening in the Methodist Church.

—Mrs. Annie Motley, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. John Eyre of Indiana terrace, sailed to her home in England last Sunday on the U. S. S. Cedric.

—Mr. Wilfred Elwyn and family will remove from their home on Boylston street to their new residence on Floral street, Newton Highlands.

—Miss Ada Lucas of Indiana terrace has one of the leading roles in the play "Two Slatterns and a King," to be given next Monday evening at the Boston Girls' City Club.

—A Story Hour for the children of the fifth to high school grades inclusive, will be held at the branch library on Thursday evening, Dec. 16. Mr. John Cronin of Roxbury will be the story teller.

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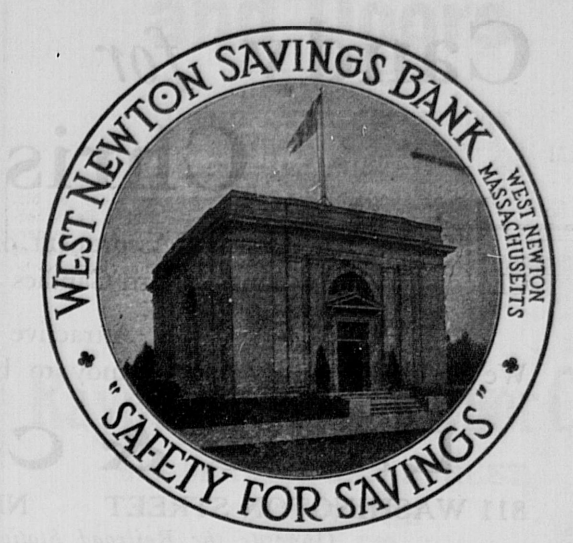
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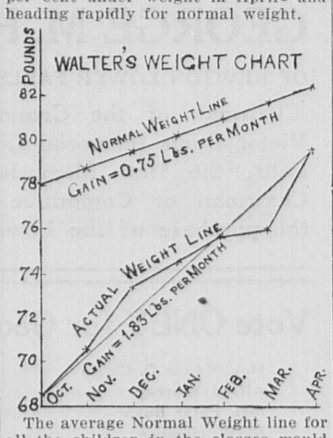
CHRISTMAS SEAL SALES

For about seven years now the Christmas Seal Sales in Newton have made continuous constructive work possible among our school children, aimed at preventing disease by increasing the general health of those who are distinctly under par. A brief review of that work was printed in the local press about a year ago. Last week's issue of the Graphic printed an outline of the organization of the "Special Health Classes" which for three years past has been carrying on this preventive work program, through the Health Committee of the Newton Welfare Bureau.

The following paragraphs give briefly some specific results of last year's classes.

Of the approximately 10,000 pupils in Newton Grade Schools in October, 1925, about 4 per cent were found to be more than 10 per cent below normal weight as indicated by standard weight and height tables. Of these, something over one quarter accepted the invitation to join the Special Health Classes, and other children were for various special reasons included in the classes, which were held weekly in the Burr, Davis, Emerson, Hyde, Our Lady, Horace Mann, Mason, Sacred Heart, Stearns and Underwood Schools. The attendance at each of these classes averaged between 20 and 30.

Since weight is one criterion indicative of the child's condition, stress is laid on the desirability for the under weight child to gain more per month than the average gain of the normal child. The monthly weights of all the children in these classes are charted so that they may clearly see their progress from month to month, as illutrated below by Walter's Chart. This was selected because it shows the gratifying results of co-operation of both child and mother in attention to diet, habits and attendance at his Health Class. He was 12 per cent under weight in October, and only 3.7 per cent under weight in April and heading rapidly for normal weight.



The average Normal Weight line for all the children in the classes would show a gain of about one-half pound per month due to growth. If, therefore, the average under weight child gains three-quarters of a pound per month, it may fairly be considered a satisfactory gain. On that basis it was found that 67.5 per cent of the children in these classes had made satifactory gain in weight between October, 1925, and April, 1926.

Weight, of course, does not tell the whole story. The physical condition of the youngsters with respect to teeth, tonsils, adenoids, posture, nutrition, heart, lungs and vision has been determined in the grade schools, by competent physicians, in the fall of each year during the past three years, including the present term. The results of these physical examinations is recorded on a card for each pupil, provision being made on each card for ten such yearly records. They furnish to the school physicians, nurses, and teachers information regarding specific defects that have distinct bearing on the child's capacity for satisfactory development in school, and the report cards, sent home by the children for the parent's signature, ensure this information coming to the attention of the parents.

Particularly for the children of the Special Health Classes are these physical examinations important, for they bring to the immediate attention of the teacher, the physician, the nurse, the nutritionist and the posture teacher defects of these children, whose health they are specifically attempting to improve. Very personal and individual attention was given to those children and as close contact as possible was sought with their homes to bring about correction of the defects. For example, last year the nurses of the Special Health Classes made approximately 450 home calls, and the nutritionist over 300. Largely as a result of the co-operation fostered by this personal contact, gratifying progress was made in correction of defects. To be briefly specific: about 59 per cent of the children of these classes were found to have defects of teeth, and of these about 72 per cent were corrected; about 31 per cent had tonsil defects, and of these about 36 per cent were corrected; about 28 per cent were found to have defects of the lungs, and of these about 72 per cent were given correctional attention; about 67 per cent were noted as deficient in nutrition, and of these about 48 per cent responded to special measures for correction; about 76 per cent were found to have postural defects, and these 78 per cent took special exercises for correction. In general, it may be said that of the children of these Special Health Classes, over 250 had some defect, and of these over 220 had some defect corrected. Of all recommendations made by the physicians, over 80 per cent were given co-operative response by children and parents.

In addition to the expenses involved in these special classes and physical examinations, about $1000 was expended for milk in homes and schools where particularly needed, for X-ray examination, for summer camp and for special T. B. work.

A similar program of Examinations, Special Classes and Personal Contact with the parents in the homes, is being pursued now and will be carried through 1927 if by the Christmas Seal Sale the good people of Newton register their interest and approval of these constructive efforts.

HEALTH COMMITTEE,
NEWTON WELFARE BUREAU.
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The results of the sale of Christmas Seals in Newton for the second week are as follows:

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If you have not joined the Red Cross for 1927 your membership dues of $1.00 will be gladly received at the office of the Red Cross, 12 Austin street, Newtonville.

The "war service" of the Red Cross is so dramatic in its nature (as is all war service) that when it ceases many believe that there is no longer need for continuing membership in the Red Cross. However, the "peace time service" of the Red Cross is vital to almost every community in the United States; it guards health, protects homes, encourages unselfishness in little children, and brightens the lives of disabled veterans in our hospitals. It is a universal element for good—money to carry on this work is needed and above all your loyal support is needed.

But 8 per cent of the people of Newton have joined the Red Cros for 1927. A larger percentage would be more worthy of the people of Newton.

The Red Cross needs your support.

WEST NEWTON COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE

Plans for the Community Christmas Tree which is to be given under the auspices of the West Newton Community Centre on the Eden Avenue Playground, Waltham street, on Thursday, December 23, at 7.15 P. M. are creating much interest.

Two hundred members of the Centre will take part in the Pageant, the procession of which will march from the Davis school to the stage on the playground at the back of the building, singing the old French carol, "Torches bring, Jeanette, Isabella." Following this there will be a pantomime of "Deck the Hall," "Wassail Song" and "God rest you, Merry Gentlemen." Then will follow a drill by a group of small girls called "The Dancing Christmas Trees."

The schools are co-operating by teaching the words of the carols to the scholars. The children's choir from the Congregational Church will appear in costume and assist with the carols. A group from the Newton Choral Society will also be in the procession and help with the singing. Visitors attending the tree are requested to bring a candle which will enable them to read the words of the carols for the general community singing.

The parade of the Pageant will be arranged as follows each unit wearing different costumes:

1. Standard Bearers.
2. Master of the Carnival.
3. Attendants.
4. Wassail song group.
5. Torch bearers.
6. Dancing Christmas Trees.
7. God rest you, Merry Gentlemen group.
8. Carolers.
9. Start and Go-Ahead Club.
10. Cheer and Moulton Club.
11. Whittling Club.
12. Moon Club.
13. Congregational Church Choir.
14. Newton Choral Society.
15. Boy and Girl Scouts.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' "BIG BROTHER CLUB

Members in Newton will be on hand to welcome "Big Brother" Bob Emery on Saturday afternoon at 4.30 when he is to greet them in person at the American Legion Auxiliary Bazaar, which is being given for the benefit of the Welfare Fund, at Dennison Hall, Newtonville, on Friday, December 10th from one o'clock and Saturday, December 11th, opening at 10 A. M. Supper will be served each day from 5 to 7 o'clock. Music for dancing Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

There will be a fortune teller each evening and a White Elephant Rummage Booth will provide bargains. Fancy and useful articles will be for sale, also infants' and children's things, aprons, handkerchiefs, Christmas cards, old and new books, candy, popcorn, cooked foods, groceries, cigarettes, ice cream, tonics. The public is cordially invited to help make this a great success.

STEARNS SCHOOL CENTER

The Bazaar last Saturday, December 4th, was a great success. Everyone was much pleased. The new store at the corner of Channing and Washington streets was turned into a very attractive and sociable meeting place for the club members and directors of the Center. The tables were decorated in rainbow colors and the windows filled with pine and ferns. The Senior Girls made a profit of $110, the Colonna Club $60, Mothers' Club $25, Afternoon Embroidery Class $15, and N. J. J. $11, the whole afternoon bringing in $220. Miss Lucy Cobb's coffee and cake table paid for all expenses.

If "an idea is worth a million dollars everyone earned much more than the figures listed above show. That practically nothing was left unsold, speaks well for the quality of the clubs' work and for the directors' loyalty.

All Newton Music School, Inc.

A pupil recital will be held at the Claflin School, Newtonville, on Friday evening, Dec. 17th, at 7.30 P. M. This will be the Christmas celebration of the School to take the place of the "Nativity", the Christmas play given in former years. There will be the usual program by the pupils and also Community Singing of Christmas carols. Pupils are urged to come and bring their parents to join in the singing. This event is for all the pupils in the Music Schol, both Peirce and Claflin Schools.

Pupils from the Music School attended the Young People's Symphony Concert on Wednesday afternoon at Symphony Hall.

NEWTON HOSPITAL

Week ending December 4:—Patients in hospital 132; patients paying as much as cost of care or more 62; patients paying less than cost of care 34; free patients, including babies 36; patients treated by out patient department 128; patients treated at eye clinic 9; accident cases 11; babies born, boys 6, girls 6; social service calls at hospital 7, at homes 3; patients transferred by social service car 11, by volunteer car 4.

November was another busy month at the hospital. During the month 318 patients were admitted and 322 discharged. The average daily number in its care was 128.23, the largest during any twenty-four hours being 137 and the smallest number 115. The out patient department had 527 visits by patients, the eye clinic treated 40 and there were 41 accident cases. Of operating room cases there were 209 at the rate of very nearly seven a day, there were 142 x-ray cases. Fifty-nine babies were born at the hospital, 23 of them girls and 36 boys. The social service department made 38 visits at the hospital, 29 at homes and transferred 44 patients in the social service car.

Sewing societies and others are reminded again that if they feel moved to do it there is a great deal of sewing to be done for the hospital which it would be a great help to have done. Information in regard to the sewing may be had by calling at the hospital or by telephoning to West Newton 0600.

Through the kindness of Mr. Charles E. Hatfield a number of the students at the training school and members of the hospital family were able to attend Monday night's dress rehearsal by the Players.

The training school committee held a meeting at the hospital on Monday.

Miss Elizabeth T. Wheeler of 32 Norwood avenue, Newton Centre, who this week joined the social service department of the hospital, is a graduate of Mount Holyoke College, with the class of 1907, and trained with the Family Welfare Society of Boston and took courses in social work at Simmons School of Social Work. For a while she was head of the permission department at Bennett School at Millbrook, N. Y. In 1919 she went to the Boston Dispensary and for seven years was there the medical social worker and general case worker in the Children's Hospital section of the dispensary. As a member of the hospital family she will have her part in the fast increasing social service work of the hospital.

A group of training school students who have been attending the course given by Dr. Edward Mellus in mental hygiene this week visited the Walter E. Fernald School in Waverley.

DEATH OF NOTED PHYSICIAN

Dr. Samuel Gilbert Webber, a noted nerve specialist and a resident of Rossmere St., Newtonville, died Sunday at the Newton Hospital.

Dr. Webber was born in Boston, July 24, 1838, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron D. Webber. He was educated in private schools and then entered Harvard, being graduated with the degree of A. B. in 1860 and receiving his M. D. in 1865. After the receipt of his medical degree he went to Vienna where he studied from 1866 to 1867.

He served in the Union navy from 1862 to 1865 as assistant surgeon. Part of his experience in the navy counted in his favor for the degree he received at the expiration of his service.

From 1869 to 1872 he was pathologist at the Boston City Hospital; from 1873 to 1878 he treated nervous diseases at the Boston Dispensary; from 1877 to 1885 he was visiting physician in the department of nervous and renal diseases, Boston City Hospital; superintendent from 1885 to 1891, and since then consulting physician, to the Adams Nervine Hospital.

From 1875 to 1885 he was instructor on nervous diseases at Harvard Medical School, and professor of neurology at Tufts Medical School from 1893 to 1902. He had been inactive for about 15 years.

He was a member of the Massachusetts Medical Society, Boston Society for Medical Improvement, Boston Society of Neurology and Psychiatry, Boston Medical Library Association, American Neurol Association, A. A. A. S., National Geographic Society, Sons of the American Revolution, honorary member, A. B. C. F. M.; life member, Boston Y. M. C. A., Massachusetts Home Missionary Society and the Boston Congregational Club.

He is survived by his widow and two daughters, the Misses Sarah and Maria Webber.

Funeral services were held Wednesday noon at Mt. Auburn cemetery, Rev. Douglass Horton of Brookline and Rev. John W. Spiers of Newtonville officiated.

MACK—PHINNEY

The wedding of Miss Madeleine Phinney, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace B. Phinney of Fuller street, West Newton, and Mr. Harold Alonzo Mack of Boston took place on Wednesday, December 1st, at the First Church of Newton Centre, Rev. Dr. Edward M. Noyes performing the ceremony.

Miss Phinney's only attendant was Mrs. Edward Barnes Maynard (Margaret Kimball) of New York. The bridegroom, a graduate of the University of Vermont, class of 1916, and a member of Sigma Phi, was attended by Isaac Dill Everitt of Brookline, University of Vermont, class of 1914.

The ushers were Berton Vesper Phinney and Roger Alcott Phinney of Brookline, brothers of the bride; Chandler Stephen Gates and Arthur Wellesley Rutter of Cambridge, fraternity brothers of the bridegroom; Edward Barnes Maynard of New York, and Frederick Burton Hicks of Waban.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. White chrysanthemums and palms were the decorations at the church, where the altar was effectively lighted with candles.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Brae Burn Country Club. Mr. and Mrs. Mack will be "at home" at 83 Brattle street, Cambridge, after Jan. 1.

THE PLAYERS

That well known Newton organization, The Players, Inc., has been giving its 99th series of plays this week in Players' Hall, West Newton. Porter Emerson Browne's three act play, "The Bad Man" has been given with the following cast:—

Walter V. V. Marsh, Theodore J. Grant, Dorothy Bushnell, William V. M. Fawcett, Augustus L. Wakefield, T. Edson Jewell, Jr., Barbara Fawcett, E. Irving Locke, David Clark, Horace W. Cole, William H. Blandy, Dorothy Stebbins, Robert R. Newell, and Albert R. Speare. Frank E. Fowle, Director of Acting, and Albert R. Speare, Stage Manager.

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CITY ELECTION

City Clerk's Office, November 3, 1926.

In accordance with the provisions of the laws concerning elections, notice is hereby given that meetings of the citizens of the City of Newton, qualified to vote for city officers, will be held in the several polling places designated for the purpose by the Board of Aldermen, on

Tuesday, the Fourteenth Day of December, 1926

and all such citizens will on said date, in the several precincts in which they are entitled to vote, give in their votes for Seven Aldermen-at-Large, being one from each Ward, to serve for terms of two years; Three Members of the School Committee, being one each from Wards One, Four and Seven to serve for terms of three years; Seven Aldermen-by-Wards, being one from each Ward, to serve for terms of one year. The Aldermen-at-Large and Members of the School Committee to be elected by the voters of the City at large, and the Aldermen-by-Wards to be elected by and from the voters of each of the seven wards. All terms of office commence on the first secular day of January, 1927.

Polling Places are at the same locations as used for the State Election, except Ward 6, Pre. 3, which has been changed to Fire Station on Manet Rd.

THE POLLS AT SAID MEETINGS WILL BE OPENED AT SIX O'CLOCK A. M., AND CLOSED AT FOUR-THIRTY P. M.

Attest: FRANK M. GRANT,
City Clerk.
Advertisement.

DRAWN AS JURORS

Ten jurors were drawn at the meeting of the Aldermen on Monday evening. For the Civil Session of the Superior Court at Cambridge on January 3rd, the following were drafted:—Perley F. Crosby, 61 Rowe street; Charles Beckwith, 136 Jewett street; Edwin W. Pyle, 114 Farlow road; Robert E. Briggs, 41 Saxon terrace. For the criminal sessions of the Superior Court at Cambridge, starting January 3rd—Charles C. Prescott, 16 Cross street; Joseph E. Gibson, 16 Fair Oaks avenue; Alfred L. Billings, 22 Ware road; William Colson, 59 Grove street; Howard C. Enyard, 53 Stearns street; Raymond Stanley, 21 Garden road.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS

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them! There only remains for some bright person to institute a mothers' and sons' day" and a fathers' and daughters' day. Why think that understanding can only be established between groups of feminine and as restricted groups of masculine! The experiment might make for a growing appreciation of the mutual need in all things—domestic, public, civic, political—that some way is viewed so suspiciously and pessimistically at times.

The program for the afternoon will be given by Captain Frank Guy Armitage, in a lecture-recital on "Queer Folks from Dickens". Captain Armitage, personally, is an Englishman by birth,—a fact that should make the understanding of Dickens and his quaint characters of worth to an audience—and a brave one (not for this presentation) which will add to his charm for his hearers, in that he was decorated with the Military Cross during the war. Hero worship is not yet a thing of the past, either with the new generation or the older, however much modernism has changed society. Captain Armitage brings to his audience, as well, the beloved store of knowledge gained by collection of rare editions of Dickens, and of fine old prints. No man could put time and heart into such work without imbibing a valuable viewpoint for presenting his cherished hobby. Entertaining, too, will be the fact that his program will not be alone a lecture of biography, but he will impersonate the characters he describes, which is always appealing to the universal liking for the dramatic. Tea and the social hour will bring together the many daughters, and the many mothers, which will not be the least interesting of the events of the afternoon.

Junior Members of The West Newton Women's Educational Club

Mrs. B. Howard Lester will open her home Monday evening, December 13th, for the Juniors of the West Newton Women's Educational Club, who are to entertain the Juniors of the Auburndale Woman's Club.

Auburndale Review Club

Continuing their delightful journeys through "Picturesque America", their study topic for the year, the members of the Auburndale Review Club will meet at 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning, the 14th, at the home of Mrs. Arthur Farley, 251 Central street, to be conducted to "Zion and Glacier National Parks" by Mrs. Nathaniel L. Grant, and to "Yellowstone National Park and Rock Formations of Utah," by Miss Margaret Haskell. After these two extensive trips, the members will hear a Reading, from "The Open Spaces," by Henry Van Dyke, to be given by Miss Ellen C. Williams.

Benefit Shop

The Hospital Aid Benefit Shop will close at 4 o'clock during the winter. Christmas week it will be open on Monday afternoon and evening only, so that it were wise, indeed, in this instance to "do your Christmas shopping early". That there are articles that may be used for this gift time is proven by the announcement that at the shop at 751 Beacon street, Newton Centre, an excellent couch and mahogany sofa are displayed in the window. They may be seen by appointment with Mrs. Groves, C. N. 832-W. Newton Club women, and all citizens, are once more reminded that there is opportunity to add to their own Christmas cheer in aiding this cause with contributions, either from purchases, or from donating articles for sale.

Auburndale Woman's Club

On Tuesday afternoon, December 14th, a reception to the teachers of the Williams and Burr Schools and of Lasell Seminary will be given by the Club members of the Auburndale Woman's Club under the direction of the Education Committee, Mrs. Hector R. P. Gal, Chairman.

The General Federation prize play: "The Wandering Child", written by Miss Mary Richmond Davidson, a member of the Auburndale Woman's Club, will be presented for the first time.

Newton Highlands Woman's Club

Artistic ways in which to wrap Christmas gifts are to be shown and suggested by the Art Committee at its monthly tea for members of the Newton Highlands Woman's Club, Tuesday afternoon in the home of the Committee's treasurer, Mrs. Ernest J. Weaver of Walnut street. At the annual holiday sale last month, the committee displayed unusual wrapping materials and now on this social occasion, a practical demonstration of how to use them, will be made. All Club members will be welcome at the tea.

Wednesday afternoon, the 15th, Miss Eunice Avery will give the second of her talks on Current Events, the meeting taking place in the Parish House of the Episcopal Church. As this lecture is an "extra" outside the regular Club meeting, special tickets of admission will be necessary and if not secured of the committee in advance, can be had at the door on the afternoon of the event.

Social Science Club

The December 15th meeting of the Social Science Club is to be a delightful one of entertainment and enjoyment. Instead of the usual business meeting, one of the talented members, Miss A. Gertrude Ensign, is to give an Organ Recital in Eliot Church, for their Christmas festivity, in a musical treat. The members of the Newton Community Club are cordially invited to be present at this recital, which will be at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Newton Centre Woman's Club

On December 16th, at 3 P. M., Prof. Robert E. Rogers of Technology will lecture once more before the Newton Centre Woman's Club, this time on the "Portrait of a Modern Poet". All who heard Prof. Rogers on December 2nd, when he gave a most illuminating picture of "The Modern Novelist" will be most anxious to hear his second lecture.

West Newton Woman's Educational Club

Santa Claus will be present at the Christmas party which the Club is giving for the fifteen children, whom they are to entertain on Friday, December 17th, at 3 o'clock. Children of Club members are to be guests, also. Mrs. George W. St. Amant, who is chairman of the affair, hopes to have plenty of toys, book games, or warm articles of clothing with which to fill the stockings.

Santa Claus (he is a fine one) will have the tree all trimmed, and hopes to greet all his small (and large) friends.

The Travel Class will meet in the home of Mrs. John A. McCarthy, 157 Webster street, West Newton, on Monday, December 13th. Mrs. F. M. Blanchard will give a paper on the "Spanish-American War and Its Aftermath," and Mrs. W. C. Church a paper on "King Alphonso and Modern Spain." There will be a roll call and Current Events.

Community Service Club of West Newton

Mrs. Claude U. Gilson will give her next lecture on the Course on Current Events for the members of the Community Service Club of West Newton on December 17th. The Parish House of the Unitarian Church is the place of meeting for these lectures, and the hour is 10.30 A. M.

Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands

Review of "Othello" will be the topic for the Quiz to be given by Mrs. H. W. Drew for the testing of understanding, memory, and nimble ability to extricate themselves from unexpected questions or situations, of the members of the Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands at their Saturday meeting, the 18th of December. Mrs. C. H. Keeler entertains them at her home, 36 Oak terrace, at any time.

Newton Community Club

Members of the Newton Community Club are invited not to just one party, but much more thrilling, to a series of parties at the Priscilla Proving Plant, during the week of December 13th. Home Economic Experts are primed to lecture on many matters especially interesting for the Christmas holidays. There will be coffee served at some times, tea at others, and informal receptions with editors of Modern Priscilla and with officials of the Proving Plant as hostesses. Monday, December 13th, at 2.30 o'clock a lecture on "Appetizers and Salads"; Tuesday, the 14th, at 10.30 A. M. an Exhibition of Set Tables, and an address: "Centrepieces, Silver, and Correct Table Setting"; at 2.30 P. M. a lecture-demonstration "The Turkey, Stuffing, and Accessories"; on the 15th, at 10.30 A. M. an Exhibition of Table Linens and Suggestions for Last-Minute Gifts"; at 2.30 further demonstration on friend Turkey or Chicken and "Chicken Chop Suey"; on the 16th, "Attractive Wrappings of Christmas Gifts" will be shown in the forenoon, and "Christmas Candies" demonstrated in the afternoon, and lastly, on the 17th, in the morning "Christmas Pastries" will be lecture-demonstrated, and in the afternoon, "Christmas Cakes."

Admission to the lectures is by ticket, as seating capacity is limited, otherwise all is quite free, and requests should be telephoned as soon as possible to Mrs. Arthur L. Douglass, N. N. 3630, or to Mrs. L. P. Guion, N. N. 4357. If you can not use your ticket give it to a friend.

Artists of the Newton Community Club are appealed to to use their talent for the benefit and pleasure of their organization, in designing a fitting emblem, suitable for the Year Book, the Bulletin, the Club stationery, as a Club Insignia. The Bulletin offers over and above the joy of serving your Club, and being the proud artist of such an emblem a prize of ten dollars for the best design submitted before December 20th to the editors, Miss Florence L. Heard, or Miss Miriam Drury.

General Federation Note

New Honor for Mrs. Poole. And one that proves she will go on doing for cally declared, "goin' to talk some mo' ", going to talk for the glory of our State!

Mrs. Grace Morrison Poole of Brockton, Recording Secretary of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, will be presented as a candidate for the office of First Vice-President of the General Federation.

Mrs. Poole's name will be presented for this office with the unanimous endorsement of the Executive Board of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs, given last Thursday at the December meeting of the Board held at Hotel Vendome, Boston.

State Federation

Conservation. With the coming of Christmas comes the consideration of wreaths and trees. And this brings reminder of our duty and responsibility for the conservation of two of our nation's most precious resources, one material, one of far greater value, in the moral. Laurel wreaths are very lovely, but if used promiscuously, and if those who cut the laurel are encouraged to strip the roots—no matter how great our enjoyment may be in them—there will soon be no more of these delightful flowers in our midst. The question, then, is shall we use self control, refuse to tolerate the seller who has lost his sense of proportion in his greed, or shall we continue to enjoy blindly and take our punishment later? As for the Christmas trees— no one asks that we give up this custom so enjoyed by the children, of whatever age by the calendar—it is only asked that these trees be not stolen from the grounds and acres of others, be not cut ruthlessly from tops of trees—even though the symmetry and grace of these tops look so artistic in our rooms, for this means destruction of the entire tree. In decorating our Christmas trees we surely want a clear conscience at this holy time of year—if at no other—that this has not been taken from property that we—and no one from whom we purchase—have invaded unlawfully. The corrosive of this upon moral charcter is not measured by the dollars and cents that may be pridefully saved! We hear some argue that in the great areas of undergrowth on property not our own, there must be trees that it will be no harm to take. Even if we were sure the owner would not object—and we are not—this argument is merely a salve to the conscience that still strives to keep its greed, by getting something for nothing. We—and no one who sells or cuts trees—have no right to step foot on land owned by others, or to take anything from that land. It is theft, however much we argue to still the faint voice, and thievery should have no place in this American land of ours, provided we really desire to be the law-abiding citizens we like to have our neighbors think us.

Purchase from dealers who are raising their trees and laurel for sale, and be safe!

Mrs. Myron Davis, Jr., the State Chairman of Conservation, appeals again to Club women to remember that we have enlisted to save our nation's resources, and to that end she says:

"Let us urge moderation in all church and civic decorations, choosing from abundant Christmas greens rather than indulging the lavish use of yards and yards of laurel festoons fashioned from that over-taxed plant. Let us begin urging our farmers to cherish their wealth of laurel as a land asset. The cutting of laurel so it will sprout satisfactorily and produce further crops is quite simple. Wise growing, cutting and selling of yearly crops would insure the landowner a goodly revenue from his laurel-lands.

"Make the Community Christmas tree to be decorated and lighted and thus glow with its message of beauty in its civic environment. Light the home Christmas wreaths and lawn evergreens and thus lend our homes to the "Christmas City Beautiful" plans. In every generous, beautiful way possible let us live our Yuletide wish, "A merry, happy Christmas to all."

The Colerain Woman's Club, a group of but 35 women, has pointed the way to service on the part of Clubwomen in their pledge for conservation—a practical way, and at the same time carrying a sentiment and tribute that touches the heart. In memory of the mother of our State Federation president, Mrs. Arthur Devens Potter, this Club has purchased and given for forest purposes one acre of land for a 14th and 15th District Forest. Colerain is the childhood home of Mrs. Potter, and the home of her grandparents. Her mother, she says, would have been particularly interested in the project. Why not, indeed, sprung from the fine old stock that made our land one of resources, by valuing, by saving, by honoring all that stands for self control, for stability, for steadfastness! Here is a simple deed that yet has origin from the finest of spiritual qualities, and as such receives our homage.

Dates of Next Meetings.

December 13. Monday Club of Newton Highlands.
December 13. C. L. S. C. of Newton Highlands.
December 13. Travel Class of the West Newton Women's Educational Club.
December 13. Waban Woman's Club.
December 13. Newton Upper Falls Woman's Club Musical.
December 13. Juniors of the West Newton Women's Educational Club.
December 13-17. Newton Community Club Visits to Priscilla Proving Plant.
December 14. Auburndale Review Club.
December 14. Auburndale Woman's Club Reception.
December 14. Newton Highlands Woman's Club Art Committee Tea.
December 15. Newton Highlands Woman's Club Current Events.
December 15. Social Science Club.
December 16. Newton Centre Woman's Club.
December 17. Community Service Club of West Newton, Current Events.
December 17. West Newton Women's Educational Club.
December 18. Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands.
December 21. Newtonville Woman's Club.
December 30. Auburndale Woman's Club.

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late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Arthur T. Melody and Joseph P. Melody who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-ninth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

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Some day, some public benefactor may discover a method of electrical anaesthesia that will permit rendering insensible for a brief period those "marathon" gabbers who talk by the hour on telephone party lines.

The aristocratic letter of the alphabet among the Germans was v, which was the abbreviation for von. In France the aristocrat could be distinguished if they had d' tucked in between their names. The Vs and the Ds were the "Who's Who" in Germany and France. But, the high toned letter in this country is neither v nor d. It is E. Many descendants of families bearing names that though honest, are rather common, have embellished said names by tacking on the letter e.

The Board of Aldermen appropriated several thousands of dollars Monday night to have a drain and sewer built on Newton street at Chestnut Hill. This street is quite near the big reservoir where the Metropolitan Water is stored. The State Department of Health requested this improvement because it was afraid the water in said reservoir might become contaminated. Just a short distance from the Chestnut Hill Reservoir, and located on higher ground, is a cemetery in which burials are being constantly made. It is doubtful if enough contamination from this cemetery works into the reservoir to cause any pollution, but what a howl some folks would raise if any such possible source of pollution as this was located near the Newton water reservation at Needham. The Wachusett Basin at Clinton and Boylston covers former sites of several villages, including land where several cemeteries were located. The projected basin in the Ware and Swift River areas, will cover sites of many existing villages and cemeteries. There will be little or no cause for worry over possible danger of the water which will be stored over the sites of these villages being polluted as a result. We merely mention these facts to show that timid people might find some remote reason to make a fuss over some slight objections which could be raised against Metropolitan Water.

The new tractor of the Street Department was used to great advantage after the heavy fall of snow Sunday. The city should purchase another, as requested by the Street Commissioner. The tractor could have accomplished much more had its work not been impeded by many autos parked along the streets on which it was operated.

If the Mayor and the Aldermen could be present some day, or night, when the new aerial ladder is being driven out of, or backed into, the fire station at Newton Corner, there would be little doubt but that an appropriation for a new fire house for Engine 1 and Ladder 3 will appear on the budget of 1927. We have a hunch the Mayor is going to make the recommendation.

Talk about doing two things at once. How about listening to two stations that tune in at the same wave lengh on your radio set?

Newton people having gained a reputation for superiority back in the last century, endeavored to obtain a superior water supply when the town of Newton became a city in 1873. So after considerable study, the present supply was established about 50 years ago. The Town of Needham very kindly allowed Newton to take over 750 acres of land extending from the Charles River up into the terrain formed by the Needham hills. This territory is ideal as a water reservation. It is composed of sand and gravel brought down from Canada way during the glacial period, which was several years before Lief Ericson, Christopher Columbus, or any other European immigrants arrived on this side of the Atlantic.

When the Newton water supply was acquired at Needham, so anxious were the then residents of the city to obtain extra good water, that instead of surface basins, an underground collecting system was built to insure pure water. This made the water more hard than if it were collected in surface basins. Later on to further assure pure water, the old open reservoir at Waban Hill was abandoned, and a covered reservoir built. Newton water contains a slight amount of lime. At various times, certain persons, including an occasional physician, got it into their heads that among other diseases, Newton water caused rheumatism. There are more ailments designated as rheumatism than there are varieties made by the famous pickle manufactory at Pittsburgh. But one of the most common causes of rheumatism, is alleged to be uric acid. Lime is supposed to be an alternative for this, so Newton water should be beneficial rather than injurious to persons suffering from rheumatism. So we have been told. We mention this because it has been recently asserted that we newspaper men think we know everything about everything. So we do not desire to give the impression that we know much about medicine. But we do know, that we can't understand, among many other things, why some folks in this city claim that they have caught certain diseases from Newton water, when all their neighbors have escaped catching such diseases. And we can't reason out how these folks, after catching diseases from Newton water, recovered from said diseases while still continuing to drink the water.

Twice within the past year we have explained briefly in the GRAPHIC what Crenothrix is. Crenothrix is the stuff that has been forming all these years in the wooden conduit at Needham and in the water mains. It has been loosened up the past few years by the growing amount of Metropolitan water which has been brought into our water pipes, and it has caused the discoloration and muddy taste on occasions in our water supply. We again will explain for the few who may not yet understand just what Crenothrix is. It is a genus of bacteria of the family Chlamydobacteriaceae, consisting of long stiff unbranched filaments. It occurs abundantly in ponds and often in reservoirs, imparts a bad taste to the water, but is not dangerous to health. If you can't pronounce the name of this species—Chlamydobacteriaceae polyspora, play it on your ukulele. And don't make the mistake of thinking that because a microorganism is designated as a bacteria, that it is an undesirable citizen. Just as all men are not bad, many species of bacteria are helpful rather than harmful to mankind. Crenothrix in water pipes is certainly not helpful, but the bacteria that causes it, (we refuse to spell that word again) may perform some very necessary function in the general scheme of things.

DEATH OF MR. DONOVAN

Mr. Joseph S. Donovan, one of the leading automobile dealers in New England for many years and a resident of Newton Centre, died Tuesday at the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital where he had been under treatment for some days.

Born in Rochester, N. Y., May 5, 1880, Mr. Donovan went to work when eleven years old. From a $1.50 a week job in a carpet factory he progressed into the railroad shops at Depew, N. Y., and when sixteen years old was in the oil business in Buffalo. He served in the Spanish American War and afterwards returned to the railroad shops. It was while in the railroad shops that he made a statement one day that he would be a millionaire at 45, and when he had that amount he would quit. He did both. His first experience in the automobile business was in 1902 when he worked as a mechanic in the Peerless factory in Cleveland. In 1906 he came to Boston and secured work as a mechanic in the shop of the Peerless branch. He soon took up the automobile rental business, then branched out into dealing in used cars. In 1911 Mr. Donovan became a sub-dealer in Boston for Studebaker and a year later took over the Boston retail business, which he conducted with marked success up to his retirement in December, 1925.

Mr. Donovan at the time of his retirement was president and treasurer of the Donovan Motor Car Company and a director of the Boston Automobile Dealers' Association. He was a member of the Boston Athletic Association and of the Commonwealth and other country clubs.

He is survived by his widow and one daughter.

HUNNEWELL CLUB

A large audience testified by its hearty applause that the vaudeville entertainment on Tuesday evening was a most enjoyable affair. The program included a black face (and white hands) song skit by John Opdycke, a clever monologue by Miss Virginia Stokes, who represented several characters in a short playlet; a screamingly funny monologue of "The Raw Recruit," by Dr. Cecil W. Clark; a good acrobatic dancing act by Thelma Claire Hersey; a farce by Mr. Opdycke and Gunnar N. Bjorkman, and a group of songs by Donald McGaw Howard, a young man who evidently has a fine future in music. The evening closed with a one act comedy in which Miss Stokes, Miriam Hayes, James H. Anderson and Mr. Opdycke took part.

Next Sunday afternoon at 3.30 there will be another Musicale and Tea at the Club with a fine galaxy of artists on the program. Elenore Altman, the noted pianist, is coming over from New York especially for this afternoon. The other artists include Norma Jean Erdmann, soprano; George Brown, 'cello, and Louise Furman and Charles Bennett as accompanists.

COMMONWEALTH COUNTRY CLUB

Mrs. A. M. Boothby, Newton, Mrs Charles E. Murnan and Mrs. W. Horace Workman of Brookline, were the hostesses at the evening auction bridge out at the Commonwealth Country Club, Wednesday evening, Dec. 8th They were assisted by Mmes. W. C. Benedict, F. J. Blake, F. L. Tompkins of Newton; William H. Short of Brighton, Harry W. Taylor of Waban; Henry Thornton, James A. Travers of Brookline; David C. Theall, Frank C. Waterman, Jr., of Chestnut Hill, and Paul F. Butler, Bay State road Boston. This was a club function on behalf of the Disabled Veterans of the Late War.

On Monday afternoon Dec. 13th a matinee auction bridge party is being given at the Comonwealth Country Club in aid of the Fatherless Children of France. This is a well known club function and is sponsored by Mrs. Alex R. Keltie of Hyde Park; Mrs. Harry F. Stimpson, Chestnut Hill, and Mrs. George W. Taylor of Newton. They will be assisted by Mmes. W. E. Harmon, Newton; C. S. Henshaw, O. Glenn Hopper, C. F. Robart, Brookline, William R. Reed, Newton, and Arthur L. Race, Copley-Plaza Hotel, Boston.

DEATH OF MR. HALL

Hon. James H. W. Hall, a former Mayor of Cambridge and a well known business man of Boston, died Sunday at his summer home in North Pembroke.

For about fifteen years Mr. Hall has made his residence in Newton Centre where he has been active in church and civic affairs.

He was born September 28, 1842, the son of Samuel Whitney and Margaret Bass (Knowlton) Hall and was educated at the Roxbury and Boston Latin Schools. He entered business at the age of sixteen years with the well-known lumber and shipping firm of Edward D. Peters & Co. He married in 1868 Orianna A. Breed of West Medford, who died in 1925. For many years he was a resident of Cambridge, and leader in church and civic affairs, and was alderman of that city in 1879 and mayor in 1880. He was a member of the Cambridge Water Board for twenty years and its president for five; also a member of the Cambridge, Congregational, Mayors', Brae Burn, Neighbors' and Boston City Clubs.

He is survived by the following-named children: James R. Hall, Horace W. Hall and Henry B. Hall, all of Boston; Stanley B. Hall of Winona, Minn; Mrs. Benton C. Decker of Berkeley, Calif.; Mrs. Albert T. Bailey of Newton; Miss Helen W. Hall of Boston, and Mrs. Ernest H. Wilkins of Chicago, Ill.

GUARDING MAILS

Among the U. S. Marines who were first selected to guard the mails against possible attacks by bandits is Louis Farlow MacLennan, of Newton, Mass.. who was on duty at Quantico. Va., prior to his assignment to this important duty.

He is one of several picked men from Quantico, many of whom are from Massachusetts, who began their duties as mail guards shortly after President Coolidge had given his approval. They are now furnishing protection to the mails in transit, guarding important postal centers, and insuring the safe delivery of valuable mail packages.

Louis is 22 years old, was born in Newton, and lived with his father, Duncan MacLennan, 11 Charlesbank road, Newton, before he joined the Marine Corps at Boston in 1923. It is the first time Marines have guarded the mails since November, 1921, when they were assigned this task for about four months. During this period no mail robberies occurred.

CHAUTAUQUA FESTIVAL

The Sixth Annual Chautauqua and Festival was held at Centenary Methodist Church, Auburndale, December 1, 2 and 3. Entertainments were given on successive nights by professional and amateur talent. December 1, Frank O. Harrell, magician, was the attraction. December 3, Cleon Hopkins, trumpet soloist, and George E. Lambard, cartoon lecturer, presented a program.

On Thursday night, December 2, the Centenary Junior Choir presented an operetta arranged and directed by Clara Lieber Harper entitled "The Spirit of Christmas". Beautiful costumes and lighting effects, together with an elaborate scene, portraying a cottage in a forest featured the production. The children as sprites, fairies, brownies and spirits danced and sang their way charmingly through the entire operetta. Madeline King as the mother who did not believe in Santa Claus; Ruth Lattimer as the angel who brought the mother to a realization of the reality of the things of the spirit, and Richard Cleveland as Santa Claus gave dramatic performances that held the audience tensely interested throughout. Miss Miriam Poole was the dramatic coach, Mrs. Harry Wilson, accompanist. In the parlor of the church luncheons and meals were served during the three days of the Chautauqua. In the Parish House a Japanese Festival was conducted. Here the atmospheric decorations and the colorful costumes of those who waited on the various booths gave rare pleasure to everyone who attended.

The books have not been balanced yet but it is certain that a very attractive sum of money will be at the disposal of the treasurer of the church as a result of the Chautauqua. More important than this, however, is the fact that a memorable series of entertainment and a wonderful period of enjoyable fellowship has once again passed into history in the life and work of this active and aggressive church.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Otis S. Phillips and Gladys K. Phillips, his wife in her right, of Newton, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, to Joseph Paul and G. Augustus Holzman, dated June 1, 1926, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4975, Page 352, for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the mortgaged premises on Saturday, January 8, 1927, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:

"the land in said Newton with the buildings thereon, being the parcel shown on a plan by French & Bryant, dated Dec. 8, 1908, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds at the End of Book 3417, bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by Beacon Street, one hundred twenty and 72/100 (120.72) feet;
Southeasterly by land now or late of Jones, three hundred three and 85/100 (303.85) feet;
Southwesterly by Chestnut Hill Road, one hundred forty-four and 13/100 (144.13) feet on a curve with a radius of about three hundred twenty-three and 63/100 (323.63) feet; and
Northwesterly by land now or late of Henry H. Whitney et al, by a line parallel with the Southeasterly boundary line, three hundred seventy-one and 59/100 (371.59) feet.

Containing 40,000 square feet, be said measurements and contents, more or less, and all according to said plan. Being the same premises conveyed to said Gladys K. Phillips by Laura E. Carter by deed recorded with said Deeds, Book 4301, Page 5.

Said premises are subject to a prior mortgage of $15,000 to the East Boston Savings Bank, dated April 21, 1920, recorded with said Deeds, Book 4343, Page 370."

Said premises will be sold and conveyed subject as aforesaid and to any and all unpaid taxes and municipal assessments thereon, if any.

One Thousand Dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale; other terms at the time and place of sale.

JOSEPH PAUL,
G. AUGUSTUS HOLZMAN,
Mortgagees.

Morris B. Frankel, Attorney,
1000 Cambridge Street,
Cambridge, Mass.
Dec. 10-17-24.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage given by Maude E. Taylor to the Waltham National Bank, dated August 12, 1925, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4875, Page 424, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the premises on Saturday the eighth day of January 1927, at two o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: The land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of Newton called West Newton, being lot 95 on a plan made by J. W. Morrison and Frank O. Whitney, dated June 7, 1888, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 55, Plan 24, bounded and described as follows:—

SOUTHERLY by Elliott Avenue, one hundred three (103) feet;
WESTERLY by Waltham Street, fifty and 25/100 (50.25) feet;
NORTHERLY by lot 94 on said plan, one hundred and 50/100 (100.50) feet; and
EASTERLY by lot 86 on said plan, fifty and 6/100 (50.06) feet.

Containing 5088 square feet of land.

Five hundred (500) Dollars will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time of the sale. Other terms will be announced at the sale.

WALTHAM NATIONAL BANK,
By Henry P. Buncher,
Cashier.

Harvey, Bannan & Bannan, Attorneys.
Dec. 10-17-24.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

Patrick Moran

late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Elizabeth A. Cody of Newton in said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the thirtieth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing post paid a copy of this citation to the next of kin of said deceased, addressed to the last known post office address of each, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Dec. 10-17-24.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

Rosa C. de Larramendi

late of Newton in said County, deceased, testate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to George Sturgis of Weston in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the thirtieth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

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FULLER GARAGE

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a low wall to prevent the passage of automobiles over it. He said, "It seems to me the men who are responsible for the pumps being placed outside, after permission to do so was refused by the aldermen, must be strong and mighty". He asked the City Solicitor if the pumps can be removed and the permit revoked?

Mr. Bartlett answered that he had information contrary to the statements made by the Ward 5 alderman. The people who applied for the permit are not now the owners of the garage. It is contended by the owners now that the license to sell gasoline gives them a permit to sell it outside. "My opinion", said Mr. Bartlett, "is, that they are not correct. This is also the opinion of the State Fire Marshal. I have so advised the Fire Chief and the Police Chief." He informed the aldermen that the Chief of Police is contemplating starting proceedings against the owners in the District Court, and that if the Superior and Supreme Courts sustain a finding against the owners, they may have to pay a fine and remove the pumps. President Pratt asked Mr. Bartlett if the matter is not an administrative rather than a legislative question? Mr. Bartlett answered "The Board of Aldermen can revoke a permit if it is proven that the holder thereof is abusing his license. Then Civil Court proceedings can be started, which may perhaps take a couple of years before the matter is settled." Mr. Bartlett remarked that proceedings in the Criminal Courts would be more rapid. He referred to the contention of the attorney for the present owner of the Fuller Garage, that the wording of the permit form issued by the City Clerk, allowed the placing of gasoline pumps outside the garage. This permit is a regular form supplied to the City Clerk from the office of the Commissioner of Public Safety at the State House and reads in part "to conduct or maintain a garage of the ..... class, and keep or store inflammable liquid in connection therewith at No. ..... street ..... in conformity with the correct regulations of the Commissioner of Public Safety, and the application of ..... 192...."

Mr. Bartlett said that in his judgment, pumps themselves must be licensed as they are structures, but that this was just his opinion, and it is a debatable subject. Alderman Hodgdon next asked Mr. Bartlett, "Was not the failure of the owners of the Fuller Garage to erect the low stone wall around the restricted piece of land, now used for the filling station, a violation of the permit?" The City Solicitor answered, "This raises the question whether you have a right to enclose a private right of way in a wall, or to impose conditions." Alderman Gallagher said that he had been a member of the License Committee which granted the permit and that this committee emphasized the condition that the garage should have its north-east corner set back from the intersection of Davis Court and Watertown street. He asked, "If this corner had been used as a private right of way, why had the original plan presented by the petitioner for the Fuller Garage shown the building to extend over this particular corner?" He said that ex-Alderman Lloyd, who was Chairman of the License Committee in 1925, was one of the most exacting members the Board had ever contained, and that Mr. Lloyd took special care to include in the permit granted by his committee, that the garage should be set back from the corner, and that no automobiles should travel over the restricted area, which was to be enclosed in a low wall. As a condition of obtaining the permit, the petitioner agreed not to build the garage over the land which is now alleged to have been a right of way.

Alderman Hodgdon said, "I think it is about time we take precautions that all legal technicalities are complied with on permits which are granted." The Ward 5 alderman stated that the aldermen had been too ready in voting on matters without having sufficiently consulted the City Solicitor. He accused the present and past Boards of Aldermen of laxity. This statement on the part of Mr. Hodgdon started a discussion in which the City Solicitor was the target of a barrage of questions from the aldermen. He gave the information that while a permit is a record to be referred to, the committee's report may also be referred to for details. City Clerk Grant construed some of the remarks of the aldermen as reflections on the conduct of his office, and stated that he had given the form of permit which he is supplied with by the State authorities, and that these permits are but formal notices which must be exercised in conformity with the plans and specifications shown in the application. He stated that the plans filed for the Fuller Garage specified that the low wall should be erected, and that the gasoline was to be kept within the building. The aldermen hastened to assure the City Clerk that they did not consider him to blame for any ambiguities in the issuance of permits, and lauded his ability.

Alderman Earle suggested that further argument over the matter would be a waste of time, as the courts will have to settle the question. Alderman Grebenstein took exception to Alderman Hodgdon's remark "that the Franchise and License Committee had been lax." The Ward 2 member asserted that this Committee has been doing a good job, and that the matter under discussion was acted upon by the License Committee of the 1925 Board. So, according to the City Solicitor, the next step in the matter of the Fuller Garage is up to the Chief of Police.

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—Mrs. H. H. Learned of Waverley avenue is spending the week in New York.

—Mrs. Converse of Detroit is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. John Patterson of Converse avenue.

—Mrs. K. W. Hobart and Miss Janie Hobart of Sargent street have recently taken an apartment at Vernon Court

—Mrs. George Angier of Ruthven road gave a tea Thursday afternoon for Mrs. Clark Macomber of Jameson road.

—Mr. Percival A. Evans of the Hunnewell apartments died suddenly last Saturday, and services were held Tuesday at Mt. Auburn Chapel.

—Mrs. Bruce Johnson and two children of Binghampton, New York, are visiting Mrs. Johnson's mother, Mrs. R. P. Haines of Hyde avenue.

—Mr. Harold Flinn, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Flinn of Pembroke street has returned to his home in White Plains, New York.

—Miss Barbara Howe and Miss Charlotte Hall of the Girl Scouts, troop 20, have been chosen as delegates to the State Conference to be held in Newtonville January 7th to 9th.

—Miss Emma Ferris of Billings park served on the committee last Monday evening at the Hotel Vendome, for the bridge and dance given by the Vermont Association and the Daughters of Vermont.

—There was a large attendance at the supper and entertainment at the Eliot Church, Thursday evening. The supper under the chairmanship of Mrs. Ralph C. Henry was served at 6.30. Mrs. Benjamin S. Hinckley was in charge of the program, which was much enjoyed. Miss Florence Owen, the well known contralto soloist, sang several groups of songs in her usual charming manner and Mrs. Leach of the Lelend Powers School entertained with readings.

Newton

—Call Airth's Express. Tel. Newton North 1389.—Advertisement.

—Vote next Tuesday for Harold T. Dougherty for Alderman from Ward 4.

—Telephone MacLean, 0725 or 1354-W North, for anything in the carpenter line.—Advertisement.

—Miss Helen Vibbert of George street entertained on Monday evening for ten of her girl friends.

—Mr. Leo F .McAleer of Copley street is attending the Lumbermen's Convention in New Orleans.

—Mrs. Grosvenor Calkins of Farlow road entertained at luncheon and bridge last Tuesday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clifton R. Hayes and family moved last week from the Person house on Hyde avenue to their new home in Newton Highlands.

—Donald Cunningham of Newtonville avenue, is recovering from a severe attack of septic and quincy sore throat, with which he has been ill four weeks.

—Friends of Mrs. Edward P. Tuttle, who is at Bradenton, Florida, will be sorry to hear of her recent accident. Mrs. Tuttle fell and is suffering from broken ribs.

—The Father and Son Banquet for the men and boys of the church will be held on Friday evening, December 17th, in the chapel under the auspices of the Eliot Men's Club.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. Allen Burt of Stedman street, Brookline, are receiving congratulations on the birth, Thursday, at the Stirling Hospital, of their third daughter, Leila. The child is a greatgranddaughter of Mrs. Henry M. Burt of Charlesbank road, and granddaughter of Mr. Frank H. Burt.

Tuesday, December 7th, there was an all day sewing meeting of the Eliot Woman's Association. There was a business meeting at 10.45, with the president, Miss Grace Weston presiding. Mrs. George Auryansen of Newtonville was the speaker of the morning and told of the splendid work which is being done by the Stearns School Centre. Basket lunch was served at 12.15 and surgical dressings were made and sewing done during the afternoon.

—Considerable interest is being manifested in the get together dinner to be given by the business men of this part of the city at the Hunnewell club house next Tuesday evening. Dinner tickets can be obtained of Wilfred Chagnon, Hubbard's Drug Store, Edgar S. Burkhardt, at Edmands & Byfield, George C. Campbell, of Campbell's Hardware Co., Harold Moore, of Moore and Moore, Bernard M. Burke of Hudson's Drug Co., James Donahue of the Studebaker Co., and Albert Walker of the Brackett Coal Co.

POLICE NEWS

Cornelia Clark, 32 Hereford street, Boston, was fined $15 in court Tuesday for speeding. Frank Cronelli of 25 Elmwood street, Somerville, was fined a like amount for a like offence.

Robert Perrin, 22 Bowers street, Newtonville, was arrested at 2 o'clock Monday morning by Officers Frank Feeley and Riley, charged with driving while under the influence of liquor.

Peter Johnson of Derby street, West Newton, whose house was raided two weeks ago by a squad of police under Serg. Mahoney's command, was tried before Judge Bacon last Saturday. On the charge of maintaining a liquor nuisance, Johnson was fined $300; for manufacturing liquor, he was fined another $300. He also received a six months' sentence to the House of Correction. He appealed.

Johnson's daughter, Mrs. Hilda Goulding, was sentenced to two months in the House of Correction for obstructing a police officer in the performance of his duty. While the house was being raided, according to the testimony of Serg. Mahoney, the young woman snatched a bottle of ale from his hand, threatened to strike him with it, and then dashed the bottle on the floor. She appealed.

Patrolmen Charles Jenkins and Peter Conlon captured four men who were supposedly attempting to burglarize a filling station at 3 o'clock Saturday morning. A passing autoist observing some men trying to force the windows of the gasoline station on Commonwealth avenue, near Walnut street, hurried along the avenue until he met the two policemen. Turning about, he hurried back to the gas station with the two patrolmen. The men were still endeavoring to effect an entrance to the gas station when the policemen rushed at them with drawn guns. They started to make a show of resistance, but after one of them had received a wallop on the jaw from Officer Jenkins they surrendered. They gave their names as Evans B. Lund and Roy McClary, both of 25 Robey street, Boston, and Glendon and Merton Todd, brothers, of Carlingford, New Brunswick. They claimed that they had run out of gas, and were trying to obtain enough to get back to Boston. The policemen, however, found three gallons of gas in the tank of the automobile in which the four were riding.

In court yesterday McClary and Merton Todd were found not guilty. Evans Lund was bound over to the Grand Jury and held in $300 bonds. Glendon Todd was sentenced to six months in the House of Correction for carrying a revolver without a permit. He appealed but was sent to jail in default of bonds. On the attempt to break and enter, he was bound over to the Grand Jury.

Otis Phillips of Cataumet, was arrested Saturday morning by Serg. Mahoney and Patrolman Maloney for the Boston police. He was wanted on the charge of non-payment of wages.

Five years ago Isaac Robinson stole three sets of billiard balls from a poolroom in this city. He was ordered to make restitution, and promised to do so. Instead, he shipped as a member of the crew of an ocean-going craft. Later he became a longshoreman and took up his residence in South Boston. Saturday he was arrested on the five-year old complaint and brought into court. Judge Bacon ordered his case continued until Wednesday, as he has to face another charge at the Superior Court in Cambridge.

Newton Highlands

—Do not buy Health Seals from children.

—Vote next Tuesday for Favinger for Ward Alderman.

—Miss Mildred Moore is in the hospital for an operation.

—Vote next Tuesday for Harold T. Dougherty for Alderman from Ward 4.

—Mr. and Mrs. William T. Halliday are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

—Mr. James H. Woods has bought four adjacent houses on the southerly side of Floral street.

—The Ladies' Aid Meeting was held evening at the Hotel Vendome, for the Hazen on Boylston street.

—The Methodist Society held a missionary meeting Wednesday afternoon, at Mrs. Patton's, 49 Hillside

—The Epworth League met this week at Evelyn Allingham's, it being a Fireside Meeting with stories from all lands.

—Funeral services for Mrs. Ida Fernald, wife of Mr. George H. Fernald, were held at her late home, 1033 Walnut street, on Sunday afternoon.

—There will be a Children's Party at the Methodist Parsonage for the children and mothers of the Church School on Tuesday afternoon, December 21.

—The Study Class on Moslem women was held today (Friday) at the home of Mrs. E. C. Simpson, on Hartford street. Mrs. E. A. Chase is the leader.

—The Congregational Church Woman's Association held their regular meeting Wednesday. Luncheon was served at noon. Mrs. E. W. Clark was Chairman of the afternoon session.

—A beautiful Christmas candlelight service, "The Chistmas Light" will be held at the Methodist Church at the evening service, December 19th. Over 30 of the Sunday School and Epworth League members will participate and there will be special music.

—At the Methodist Church Sunday evening at 5.00, Miss Bailey, contralto of Boston will sing three solos. Mrs. Johnson, wife of Harvard professor, will speak on "When Germany Entered the League." Mrs. Johnson was present at that session of the League of Nations when Stressman and his nation were admitted to the League. On Sunday morning, Miss Anna Troskey will sing three solos.

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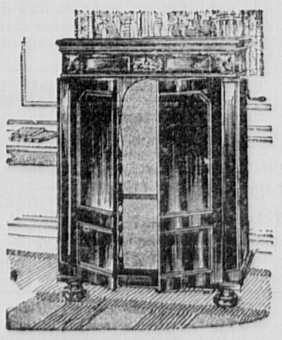
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ONE THING AND ANOTHER

Written by LEVERETT D. G. BENTLEY

The calendar hunt is on. Collectors of 1927 calendars have taken time by the forelock and also by the scruff of the neck and are acquiring as many calendars as they can get their hands on. It is a prudent thing to do, for one must keep tracks of the days, but why make an industry of it? The other day I met a man with two calendars. Each contained an advertisement—one of an insurance company and the other of a real estate firm. Both are sure to be useful, at least under ordinary circumstances.

"This is only a beginning," said my friend, "before New Year's I shall have a fine collection."

"And how many do you expect to acquire?" I ventured.

"Well," he went on, "I rounded up twenty last year, but I hope this year to bring up the figure."

"You're out to break records?" said I.

"Sure," he replied.

Then, in answer to my questioning, he disclosed the fact that he believed that the distribution of calendars free of charge was one of the blessings of which humanity should take advantage. It seems a pity, he stated, that everybody should not possess a calendar, especially when they are to be had for the asking, and maybe for the taking.

It struck me at that time and since I have reflected on the situation that it must be the old, old desire to get something for nothing that inspires people to go out gunning for calendars. I have often wondered whether it was profitable to the giver. It always struck me that a man who wished to advertise would do far better to spend his money in buying space in a newspaper or magazine where there was no doubt of the possible return. A newspaper or periodical has a definite circulation and an established group of readers, either large or small. There is no secret and no question about who is going to read the advertisement.

But there is, in my opinion, some grave doubt as to whether a person is going to be so deeply impressed with the picture of a pretty girl sitting on a half-moon that he or she will rush out and buy some commodity the need of which had not up to that time seemed especially urgent.

I think that lithographers do wonderful work on calendars and that to those who are partial to ornaments of that character they have their place. And they are useful, too, if one has frequent occasion to see what day of the month it is and what day the "17th" comes on, etc.

Very well then, let the distribution of calendars go on and let all who are so inclined go out and collar all they can carry. It's a nice world after all wherein it takes so little to please some people.

It happened that not long ago I carried my walking stick with me to a place of public meeting. It was Sunday, a day when I permit myself to lift from the umbrella stand one of several handsome canes that have come to me, through gift or honest acquisition, from time to time.

Well, to make a short story not too short and not too long, I left the building without my cane. It didn't occur to me that I was minus a very important feature of my Sunday equipment, at least not until I arrived home did I realize that my cane was not in my hand. Only New Yorkers carry canes, naturally, if you ask me, but that's another story, as Kipling might say if he repeated himself.

I arranged by telephone an interview with the janitor and when I went to see him he promptly produced my cane and I endeavored to show my gratitude. I felt, too, that I should apologize for having caused him some inconvenience but he waved it off as though it were but a trifling matter.

"You should see what people leave behind," said he. "I sometime wonder they don't forget their heads. I think probably they would if their heads were not hitched on."

I accepted the mild rebuke with a faint smile and did not interrupt him.

"Come with me," said the janitor, and he led me to a capacious closet in the basement. Opening the door he said, "Look over that stuff!"

And I did. There was a great collection of personal property. Eyeglasses with and without cases, umbrellas, rubbers, overshoes, gloves, some few coats, two or three fur pieces, several pocketbooks and other things.

"Love 'em and leave 'em," said I, in a feeble attempt to make a jocose remark that I thought appropriate.

"They can't love 'em very much," anwered the janitor, "or they wouldn't forget them."

"What do you do with them?" I queried.

"O, I hang on to them until they come around."

"And do they come around looking for their property?" I continued.

"Sometimes," said he, "but most of the darned fools forget where they left them. Once in a while one of them shows up, but usually they don't. And the stuff is no good to me, either."

"That's a pity," said I. "Somebody should get some use of them."

"I know it," said he, "but if I took any of them and used them somebody would be sure to recognize them and I might be pinched for stealing."

"What do you do with them?" was my next question.

"I give 'em away," he replied, "to people who are willing to take the chance of being found with 'em."

A reader of this column has vouchsafed an explanation of why it is not always possible for the Mayor of a city to substitute and carry out a program of rigid economy and still retain his personal popularity. He bases his contribution on what I wrote some weeks ago about Mayor Bauer of Lynn and his efforts to slash city expenses. Inasmuch as I have not the space to print in full the contributor's letter I do not feel that in justice to him I should give his name. I have told him so and he has agreed that without quoting his name I may quote him in part.

"There are many selfish people," he declares, "who receive a fair profit in legitimate business relations with a municipality. I call them selfish because they know the city's credit is excellent and that the city is willing to pay the top price for whatever it buys. Possibly they have enjoyed the patronage of the city for a number of years. It may be in a small way or it may be in a large way. At any rate they have been receiving prompt payment. Naturally such individuals are going to get sore when they find a man who in bringing about a reduction of expenses, steps on their toes. In other words the Mayor is going to buy the same goods at a lower price if he can and in order to do so has to buy them elsewhere. It is a good deal of a strain on one's civic pride to lose the city as a generous and considerate customer."

The letter of this contributor makes several other salient points. He says, "The question of running a city or a State or a county on a purely business basis has been the dream of idealists almost from the inception of representative government. Many have tried to make it practicable, but a comparatively small number have succeeded. The average citizen doesn't like to have his city called stingy. He may be pretty thrifty himself, but he like to have the place in which he resides 'do things' on a fairly grand scale. He thinks it looks shabby, as the English say, to scrimp. Therefore, this same tax-payer, sharp enough in his own business methods, will calmly allow a municipality to play the 'good fellow' while he sits back and applauds."

My friend adds this bit of philosophy: "Individuals will do things on their own hook which they never would do collectively. I don't know why it is, but it's human nature. Don't the votes show it?"

I do not feel I should trespass further on the space allotted me so I will put it up to my readers to ponder on in their idle moments.

Most everybody has heard that popular saying, the origin of which is laid at the door of the great showman, P. T. Barnum, about the birth each moment of the day of some easy dupe from whom a slick swindler finds no difficulty in obtaining money. It is my guess that Barnum, if he said such a thing, was conservative, to say the least. I have arrived at that conclusion after reading of the vast amount of money that men, and women, too, lose in the so-called Albany and Hudson pool.

It is the gambling instinct, of course, which makes people think that by risking a few dollars on a "sure thing" they are going to rake-in large sums, through no effort of their own but because Lady Luck has decided to favor them. For my own part I cannot see how anybody can go ahead and gamble, blindly, and expect that circumstances are to favor them and increase by a substantial amount their bank accounts.

Personally, whenever I have been inveigled into putting up a trifling sum on the outcome of a football game or a world's series I have been so far away from the winning figure that it has been a joke. Therefore, through no desire to reform in this respect, but because I have learned that I am not a good guesser, I have refrained from taking chances.

But there are braver souls who do risk their money, more money than would buy them real estate or sound possessions, and some of them seem to come out on top. I have often heard it said, "easy come, easy go," but thus far I have been unable to prove the truth of that ancient proverb.

It strikes me that there is an element of risk in about everything worth while, but that is legitimate if the risk is such as one need not be ashamed of the resultant gain. On the other hand the law must step in and protect those with a yearning to get rich quickly. Investigators of the State, and even the Attorney General himself, must devote his time to protect the foolish. The present Albany and Hudson pool is an instance.

However, if people will do those things there doesn't seem to be any help for it, and certainly no occasion for the less venturesome—I will say timid and include myself in that class—to worry over these losses.

And now we shall see how seriously the voters of Newton take their municipal election which is scheduled for next Tuesday. Our guess is that the officials at the polling places will find the time hanging heavily on their hands. There isn't any Mayor to be voted for and that means a lot of people will not bother themselves about casting a ballot.

Why they should have an idea that the Mayor is the only one entitled to their vote—I speak impersonally and not of my life-long friend, the present Chief Executive—is beyond me. Apparently they think that Aldermen are nothing more than Aldermen, and School Committee members no more than School Committee members.

Let us see if Newton cannot work up civic pride enough to make a good turning-out at the polls. Let it not be said that it is only a political scrap that can bring out the voters. It is essentially disheartening for high-minded people to accept the responsibilities of governing the city, without pay, and have only a handful of citizens interested in their efforts.

I wouldn't object at all if some candidate should unexpectedly announce, "I shall not serve unless I receive the indorsement of two-thirds of my fellow citizens. If I can take the time, night after night to go to city hall or to the school committee and do the work of the taxpayers they ought at least be willing to spend three minutes voting for me or for some one they think would do a better job."

When the candidates take such a stand, or practically threaten to go on a strike, you'll see the voters turning out.



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This concert is a musical event of of great local interest, on account of the appearance of Miss Olivia Cate, pianist, a West Newton girl, who has had the advantages of extended study in Europe. It will be a pleasure to the music lovers of the city to show their appreciation of this gifted young artist. One of the Boston newspapers printed the following comment by its musical critic, on Miss Cate's recital recently given in Jordan hall: "It (the recital) was, artistically speaking, one of the most successful first recitals in years. Miss Cate is not only an unusually competent pianist, she is a sensitive and imaginative musician, whose interpretations of classic and modern pieces are individualized and moving. She is still a young girl, and there is a chance she will become with maturity an artist of the calibre of Myra Hess, a really great pianist."

The chorus will sing a fine program of part songs.

NEWTON 25 YEARS AGO

From the Graphic of November 22, 1901

Courts hold extra sessions to accommodate aliens seeking naturalization.

Aldermen estimate 1902 city expenditures at $1,300,000.

C. M. Goddard wins only contest on ballot at Republican caucus defeating Dr. E. D. Burr by 7 votes for school committee seat.

Democrats nominate William H. Baker for mayor at city convention in Central Hall, Newtonville over which Thomas M. Spellman presided.

Death of Thomas P. Hart of Auburndale.

From the Graphic of Nov. 29, 1901

Successful military dance at Armory Hall by Co. C, 75th Reg., M. V. M., and Thomas Burnett Camp of Spanish War Veterans.

Death of Stephen D. Duncan of Auburndale.

John W. Weeks chosen as Republican candidate for Mayor by acclamation at city convention.

Death of George Cook of West Newton.

Democratic Rally for Baker.

From the Graphic of Dec. 6, 1901

Death of Harold C. Paine of Newton.

G. A. R. plans Carnival to be held in Febuary for the benefit of the post.

Death of Artemus Wiswall of Oak Hill.

Considerable interest in three-cornered fight for Mayor between Weeks, Baker, and Baily.

From the Graphic of Dec. 13, 1901

Kathadin Club given reception by Mr. D. C. Heath, president, at his home in Newtonville.

Republican avalanche in every ward gives Weeks, 2597 votes; Baker, 1686 votes; and Baily 484 votes in mayoralty contest at city election.

Death of Dr. James R. Deane of Newton Highlands.

T. J. Lyons, defeated candidate for ward-alderman in Ward 4 holds informal reception at Norumbega Club rooms on Auburn street on election day evening.

The Entertainment Club and the Thespians begin season of dramatics in Channing Church parlors.

Newton Theological Alumni Association holds annual dinner.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of West Newton, Newton, Mass., will be held at their banking rooms on Tuesday, January 11, 1927, at 5:30 P.M. for the election of Directors and any other business that may legally come before them.

W. M. CAHILL,
Clerk of the Corporation.
West Newton, Mass.
December 10, 1926.

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ARTICLE No. 3

One of the most puzzling questions of auction arises when your partner has made a business double and you have a hand that is worthless except at the suit you have bid. Should you leave in the double in the hope of defeating the contract or should you go on with your own bid? That is the question and the answer must always be a variable one, dependent on the cards held in each hand. As a general proposition you should figure whether or not your hand can take tricks at the bid that has been doubled. If it can, then your hand and your partner's will probably defeat the contract. If your hand cannot take tricks at the bid that has been doubled, then you should rebid your own suit. The following hands are good illustrations of the rebid after partner's double:

Hand No. 1

: Y :
:A B:
: Z :

Hearts — 10, 8, 3
Clubs — Q, J, 9, 8, 7, 5, 4, 2
Diamonds — 7, 6
Spades — none

No score, first game. Z dealt and passed. A bid one spade, Y two hearts and B two spades. Z bid three clubs, A bid three spades, Y bid three no-trump and B doubled. Z bid four clubs, A bid four spades and Y doubled. If B passed what should Z now bid? Z should bid five clubs. His hand hasn't the sign of a trick with spades trumps, and his partner must, therefore, take four tricks to defeat the four spade bid, which is very unlikely. As a matter of fact, Z can make five clubs, losing only one club and one heart trick. At four spades, Y-Z can make only three tricks: two spade tricks and the ace of diamonds — quite a difference.

Hand No. 2

Hearts — Q, J, 10, 7, 4
Clubs — 10, 8, 4, 2
Diamonds — 7
Spades — J, 8, 4

: Y :
:A B:
: Z :

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and bid one heart, A bid one spade. Y bid four hearts and B bid four spades. Z doubled four spades. If A passed what should Y bid? Y should bid five hearts. His hand is worth five or six tricks with hearts trumps, but probably is not worth one if spades are trumps. His only chance is to find his partner with the ace of diamonds and so be able to trump one diamond trick. If, however, his partner hasn't the ace of diamonds, Y cannot take a trick with spades as trumps. For that reason he should bid five hearts. Y-Z can just make five hearts, while at spades A-B can make a grand slam. A had the ace of diamonds and no hearts, and B had no clubs, so a cross ruff could be established. If Y had bid five hearts, neither A nor B was strong enough to bid five spades over the double, so a bid of five hearts would have been a big winner.

Here are three hands that came up in a game the other evening of which an analysis will be given in the next article. They are most interesting because the principles involved are common everyday principles that every player should understand and know how to apply. Think them over.

Problem No. 2

: Y :
:A B:
: Z :

Hearts — 7
Clubs — 8, 4
Diamonds — A, K, Q, 7, 6, 2
Spades — J, 10, 4, 3

Rubber game, no score. Z dealt and bid one diamond. A bid two clubs, Y passed and B bid four clubs. What should Z now bid?

Problem No. 3

: Y :
:A B:
: Z :

Hearts — 6
Clubs — 7, 4
Diamonds — 9, 8
Spades — A, K, J, 10, 7, 5, 4, 2

Rubber game, Y-Z, 10; A-B, 21. What would you bid if you dealt and held Z's hand? This hand is very interesting because Z made a trick bid and got away with it. Think it over.

Problem No. 4

Hearts — Q, 10, 4
Clubs — 10, 5
Diamonds — A
Spades — K, Q, 10, 9, 8, 6, 3

: Y :
:A B:
: Z :

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and bid one no-trump. A passed, Y bid two spades and B passed. Z bid two no-trump and A passed. What should Y now bid?

CITY OF NEWTON
CITY ELECTION, TUESDAY, DEC. 14th
Polls Open 6 A. M.
Close at 4.30 P. M.

Office of the City Clerk

December 3, 1926.

I hereby certify that the following is a list of all the candidates nominated to be voted upon in Newton at the City Election on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14th, 1926

To vote for a Person, mark a cross X in the Square at the right of the Name voted for.

Alderman at Large, Ward One.. One to be Elected. Vote for One.
Thomas M. Gallagher, 31 Channing Street, Ward 1.

Alderman at Large, Ward Two. One to be Elected. Vote for One.
Roy V. Collins, 29 Frederick Street, Ward 2.

Alderman at Large, Ward Three. One to be Elected. Vote for One.
Sinclair Weeks, 97 Valentine Street, Ward 3.

Alderman at Large, Ward Four. One to be Elected. Vote for One.
To vote for any person make a cross (X) in the square in the appropriate column according to your choice, at the right of the name voted for. Do not vote for any one candidate in more than one column, as only one choice will count for any one candidate by this ballot. Vote your first choice in the first column; vote your second choice in the second column. Vote only one first choice and only one second choice.
Harold T. Dougherty, 77 Woodland Road. Ward 4.
George M. Heathcote, 53 Neshobe Road, Ward 4.
Howard H. Murphy, 55 Pine Grove Avenue, Ward 4.
To vote for a Person, mark a cross X in the Square at the right of the Name voted for.

Alderman at Large, Ward Five. One to be Elected. Vote for One.
Henry W. Bail, 1025 Walnut Street, Ward 5.

Alderman at Large, Ward Six. One to be Elected. Vote for One.
Henry M. Bliss, 155 Chestnut Hill Road, Ward 6.

Alderman at Large, Ward Seven. One to be Elected. Vote for One.
Harry W. Fitts, 79 Pembroke Street, Ward 7.

Member of School Committee from Ward 1 for Three Years. Vote for One.
Elliott B. Church, 30 Bennington Street.

Member of School Committee from Ward 4 for Three Years. Vote for One.
Maxwell C. Hutchins, 356 Auburndale Ave.

Member of School Committee from Ward 7 for Three Years. Vote for One.
Grosvenor Calkins, 49 Farlow Road.

Ward Alderman, One to Be Elected Ward 1
John C. Madden, 20 Gardner Street.

Ward 2
Daniel O'Connell, 311 Nevada Street.
Augustus L. Wakefield, 55 Prescott Street.

Ward 3
Richard T. Leahy, 11 Warwick Road.

Ward 4
Albert L. Cole, 164 Auburn Street.
William M. Noone, 144 River Street.

Ward 5
Charles L. Favinger, 115 Windsor Road.
Willard L. McKenzie, 8 Richardson Road.

Ward 6
John C. deMille, 111 Parker Street.

Ward 7
Frederick A. Hawkins, 28 Billings Park.

Attest:
FRANK M. GRANT, City Clerk.
Advertisement.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of a power of sale contained in certain Mortgage Deed given by Daniel A. McLaughlin, of Boston, Suffolk County, Massachusetts, to Joel B. Landy, of Boston, County and Commonwealth aforesaid, dated September 3, 1925, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex, Book 4886, Page 29, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the premises on Monday, January 3, 1927, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said Mortgage Deed, namely:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, including all landlords fixtures now or hereafter placed on the aforesaid premises situated on the Southerly side of and being No. 56-66 Webster Street inclusive, in that part of Newton called West Newton, being shown as Lot A on a plan of land owned by the Newton Estates Trust, West Newton, Massachusetts, dated March 7, 1925, by William E. Leonard, civil engineer, recorded in Book 4836 end, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by said Webster Street one hundred seventy-four and seventy-four one hundredths feet (174.74); Northerly by curve forming junction of Webster with Cherry Street on said plan twenty-three and fifty-eight one hundredths feet (23.58); Northeasterly by Cherry Street seventy-three and ten one hundredths feet (73.10); Southeasterly by other land of Newton Estates Trust shown as Lot B on said plan one hundred sixty-nine and fifty-one one hundredths feet (169.51); Southwesterly by land now or formerly of Ellis ninety-three and twenty-six one hundredths feet; containing according to said plan, 15,982 square feet. Subject to a first mortgage for $30,000.00.

Said premises to be sold subject to unpaid taxes, municipal liens and other assessments and betterments, if any there be.

One thousand dollars ($1000) will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms will be announced at the time of sale.

JOEL B. LANDY,
Present holder of said mortgage.
100 Hutchings St.,
Roxbury, Mass.
December 8, 1926.
Dec. 10-17-24.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Ida R. Bangs late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JESSIE M. GLADWIN, Admx.
(Address)
29 Lowell St.,
North Weymouth.
December 7, 1926.
Dec. 10-17-24

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Mary Alice Pigott late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

A. FRANCIS HAYDEN,
Executor.
(Address)
67 Milk Street,
Boston, Mass.
Dec. 3, 1926.
Dec. 10-17-24

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in certain mortgage deed given by Henry J. O'Meara to Helen M. Towle, dated December 15, 1924, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book, 4802, page 32, for breach of condition thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on January 3, 1927, at three o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed (except such parts as have been released as hereinafter noted) namely: The land in said Newton with the buildings thereon, shown as parcel "E" on a plan entitled "Plan for the development of the Towle Estate, Newton, Mass. by Henry J. O'Meara", which plan is recorded, subject to correction with respect to all measurements, areas, and dimensions thereon shown. Said parcel "E" is bounded and described as follows:

Northerly on Cabot Street about six hundred (600) feet;
Easterly on parcel "D" on said plan along the middle of a private way shown on said plan as "Pondway Road" by a curved line about five hundred ninety-four (594) feet;
Southerly and Westerly by a curved line along the middle of a private way shown on said plan as Westchester Road, about one thousand (1,000) feet, containing lots numbered one (1) to seventeen (17) both inclusive in block two (2) on said plan, and a so-called "reserved" area about a pond, containing twenty-four thousand four hundred ninety (24,490) square feet, the whole parcel "E" containing about 239,040 square feet, all of said quantities and measurements being more or less.

Said conveyance includes the fee to the middle line of any way upon the land belonging to the mortgagor which is shown on said plan as adjoining said parcel. There is also appurtenant to the mortgaged parcel a right of way for all purposes over all ways shown on said plan to all connecting public ways. The premises are conveyed subject to the Zoning Law requirements, if any there be, so far as now in force and applicable thereto.

There is reserved a common right of way for all purposes of a public street, including the right to grade and lay out, construct or cause to be constructed, sidewalks and curbing, put in sewer and water pipes, gas pipes, electric light conduits, poles, wires and all other general public service appliances which are usual to public streets or ways, in, on or over the streets, any portion of which are included in the mortgaged premises.

The following releases of property included in said mortgage have been given, and the parcels hereafter described will not be included in said sale.

First: A partial release dated June 26, 1925 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds Book 4862, page 202, covering land in Newton, being shown as lot 79 on plan entitled "Subdivision of the Towle Estate in Newton, owned and developed by Henry J. O'Meara, Rowland H. Barnes, and Henry F. Beal, Civil Eng'r's, March 1925" recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds as Filed Plan No. 806 and bounded
Southerly by Westchester Road by a curved line as shown on said plan forty-two and 05/10 (42.35) feet;
Southwesterly by a curved line forming the junction of Westchester Road and Langdon Street sixty-four and 41/100 (64.41) feet;
Westerly by Langdon Street forty-five and 76/100 (45.76) feet;
Northwesterly by a curved line forming the junction of Langdon Street and Cabot Street as shown on said plan thirty-nine and 77/100 (39.77) feet;
Northerly by Cabot Street by a curved line as shown on said plan forty-nine and 95/100 (49.95) feet;
Easterly by lot No. 79 on said plan one hundred twenty-four and 01/100 (124.01) feet; and containing according to said plan 8350 square feet of land.

Second: A partial release dated December 4, 1925 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds Book 4920, page 505, covering all of the mortgagee's rights in all the streets shown on the plan referred to in said mortgage except the parts thereof which are included within the boundaries of the streets shown on said plan entitled "Subdivision of the Towle Estate in Newton, Mass. by Rowland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal, Civil Eng'r's, March 1925" recorded with said deeds as Filed Plan No. 806, excepting also so much of said streets as are included within the limits of the land conveyed by C. Leo Thebeau to the Boston Academy of the Sacred Heart.

Third: A partial release dated December 5, 1925 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds Book 4920, page 507, covering all of the land covered by said mortgage except that part thereof which is included within the boundaries of lots 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 26, 27, and 28 as shown on a plan entitled "Subdivision of the Towle Estate in Newton, owned and developed by Harry J. O'Meara, Rowland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal, Civil Eng'r's, March 1925" recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds as Filed Plan No. 806, and particularly all the mortgagee's rights in all the streets shown on plan referred to in said mortgage except the parts thereof which are included within the boundaries of the streets shown on said plan dated March 1925.

Fourth: A partial release dated December 10, 1925, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds Book 5029, page 31, covering the land in Newton, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, being shown as lots 79 and 80 on a plan entitled "Subdivision of lots 79-80-92, on a plan of land in Newton, Mass. made by Rowland H. Barnes, and Henry F. Beal, Civil Eng'r's, March 1925" said subdivision plan being made by John J. Smith, Eng'r, dated December 1925, to be recorded, and bounded and described as follows:
Northerly by Cabot Street one hundred forty-five (145) feet;
Easterly by lot No. 81 on said plan of March, 1925, by Rowland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal which is recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds as Filed Plan No. 806, ninety-five (95) feet;
Southerly by parts of lots No. 80 and No. 79 on said Filed Plan No. 806, one hundred forty-five (145) feet;
Westerly by a part of lot No. 78 on said Filed Plan No. 806, ninety (90) feet;
Said lots together containing according to said plan 13,411 square feet of land, be any or all of said contents or measurements more or less.

Said premises will be sold subject to any and all taxes, liens, and assessments, if any there be.

One thousand dollars ($1000.00) in cash will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale and the balance in ten (10) days thereafter at the office of Curtis H. Waterman, 1101 Pemberton Building, Boston, Massachusetts.

HELEN M. TOWLE, Mortgagee.
Dec 10-17-24.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George M. Briggs, of Watertown, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, to William L. Terhune, of Boston, Suffolk County, Massachusetts, dated May 10, 1926, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, book 4973, page 485, for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises on Monday, January 3, 1927, at 3.15 o'clock in the afternoon, the real estate described in said mortgage, to wit:—

"The land in that part of Newton, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, called Newton Centre, with the buildings thereon, being shown as lot 50 on a plan entitled "Subdivision of the Fred Holland Chamberlin Estates, Numbers 5 and 6 in Newton Centre, Mass. Rowland H. Barnes & Henry F. Beal, C. E's.", dated May, 1925, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Plan Book 358, Plan 12, bounded and described as follows:—

Easterly by Greenlawn Avenue, sixty-five (65) feet;
Southerly by lot 51 on said plan, one hundred fifteen (115) feet;
Westerly by lots 59 and 60 in said plan sixty-five (65) feet; and
Northerly by lot 49 on said plan one hundred fifteen (115) feet.

Containing 7475 square feet of land, according to said plan.

Subject to easement rights of the City of Newton over Hammond Brook."

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens and assessments, if any. Seven Hundred Dollars ($700) required at sale.

WILLIAM L. TERHUNE,
Mortgagee.

For further particulars, apply to Swain, Carpenter & Nay, attorneys for the mortgagee, 79 Cornhill, Boston, Mass.
Dec. 10-17-24

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Abraham Siegal to Harry L. Nelson, dated May 6th, 1926, and recorded with Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Book 4965, Page 518, for breach of the condition thereof, will be sold at public Auction on Monday the third day of January, 1927, at three o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises described in said mortgage, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage deed, namely: the land in that part of Newton, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, called Newtonville, being shown as lot numbered twenty five on a plan entitled "Subdivision of Land in Newtonville, Mass., belonging to Walter A. Rollins & Co., dated September 1924 by Roland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal," and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Plan Book 351, Plan 3, and bounded and described as follows:— Easterly by Lowell Avenue fifty two and 96/100 feet; NORTHERLY by lot 24 on said plan ninety seven and 97/100 feet; WESTERLY by lot 26 on said plan sixty five and 14/100 feet; and Southerly by Bolton Road as shown on said plan eighty-two and 75/100 feet; and SOUTHEASTERLY by the curve forming the junction of said Lowell Avenue and Bolton Road thirty-three and 36/100 feet. Containing 7026 sq. feet, according to said plan, be any or all of said measurements and contents more or less. Subject to a mortgage held by Medford Trust Company in the sum of Twelve Thousand (12,000) Dollars.

Said premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes or municipal liens.

$200. in cash will be required of the purchaser at time and place of sale.

NEWTON INVESTMENT COMPANY,
by Robert H. Evans, treasurer.
assignee of said mortgage.
H. L. Whittlesey, Atty.
234 Boylston St.
Boston, Mass.
Dec. 10-17-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the devisees under the will—and all other persons interested in the estate of

Helen C. Parker

late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, Sarah B. Slocum, executrix of the will of said deceased has presented to said Court her petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the real estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested, who can be found within the Commonwealth, fourteen days, at least, before said Court, and if any one can not be so found, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Dec. 3-10-17.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of

Harriet M. Bowman

late of Newton in said County, deceased:

WHEREAS, Selwyn Z. Bowman and S. Louise Knapp the trustees under the will of said deceased, have presented for allowance, the 6th, 7th, 8th and Supplemental 8th accounts of their trust under said will: for the benefit of Sarah Louise Knapp and others.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the twentieth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said trustees are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Dec. 3-10-17.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

William Craig

late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Mary A. Craig of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourteenth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Nov. 26-Dec. 3-10.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscribers have been duly appointed administratrices of the estate of Blanche N. Learned late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

MIRIAM L. CARPENTER,
EVELYN L. LANGMAID,
Admxs.
(Address)
Harvey P. L. Partridge,
610 Barristers Hall,
Boston, Mass.
December 4, 1926.
Dec. 10-17-24

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Harry L. Nelson to the Watertown Co-operative Bank, dated the twenty-ninth day of October, 1925, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4914, Page 510, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises therein described, on Thursday, December 30, 1926, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage, and therein described as follows:

"the land in that part of Newton called Auburndale, with the buildings thereon, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on the Northerly side of Auburn Street on the Westerly side of land now or late of the City of Newton being a passageway twelve (12) feet in width on the line of Auburn Street leading from said street to the "schoolhouse lot" so-called; thence running Westerly by said Auburn Street Sixty-(60) feet more or less; thence turning at a right angle and running by land now or late of William P. and Benjamin Bourne one hundred sixty (160) feet ten inches more or less to said "schoolhouse lot"; thence, running Southeasterly by said "schoolhouse lot" eighty-three (83) feet more or less to said passageway; thence, running Southerly by said passageway one hundred and seven (107) feet four inches more or less to said Auburn Street at the point of beginning.

Being the same premises conveyed to me by Arthur T. Melody by Deed duly recorded."

Said premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens and assessments, if any there be.

$500 deposit will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, at which other terms will be announced.

WATERTOWN CO-OPERATIVE BANK,
present holder of said mortgage,
by Ulysses S. Young, Treasurer.
Dec. 3-10-17.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by John N. Corner and George Smith to the Watertown Co-operative Bank, dated the twenty-third day of February, 1923, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4296, Page 21, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises therein described, on Friday, December 31, 1926, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage, and therein described as follows:

"the land partly in NEWTON, said County, and partly in said WATERTOWN, with the buildings thereon, being lot numbered 31 (thirty one) on Plan by Alexander Wadsworth, Surv. dated Aug. 26, 1870 recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds in Plan Book 17 as Plan 64 and bounded as follows:

SOUTHERLY by Boyd Street (called on said plan Chestnut Street) one hundred (100) feet;
WESTERLY by lot 32 on said plan one hundred and fifty (150) feet;
NORTHERLY by lot 16 on said plan one hundred (100) feet;
EASTERLY by lot 30 on said plan one hundred and fifty (150) feet;
CONTAINING 15,000 square feet according to said plan.

Being the same premises conveyed to us by Mary E. Plummer by deed dated September 30, 1919 and recorded with said Deeds in Book 4298, Page 41."

Said premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens and assessments, if any there be.

$500 deposit will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, at which other terms will be announced.

WATERTOWN CO-OPERATIVE BANK,
present holder of said mortgage,
By Ulysses S. Young, Treasurer.
Dec. 3-10-17.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of

Albert William Galway

of Newton in said County, formerly an insane person:

WHEREAS, Beulah F. Boynton, executrix of the will of Annie Galway, who was the guardian of said ward, has presented for allowance, the third account as guardian upon the estate of said ward:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the twenty-second day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said Beulah F. Boynton is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Dec. 3-10-17.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

Jacob Weinberg

late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament—and two codicils—of said deceased have been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Selma Weinberg and Alfred L. Fish who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fifteenth day of December, A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Nov. 26-Dec. 3-10.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of

Lillian B. Allen

late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Ernest Booth and James L. Richards who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Dec. 3-10-17.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Frances H. Manny late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JOHN A. BENNETT, Executor.
(Address)
6 Beacon St.,
Boston, Mass.
Dec. 2, 1926.
Dec. 3-10-17.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Supreme Judicial Court.
No. 2302 Equity.

American Trust Company, Trustee
v.
Boston and Worcester Street Railway Company

ORDER OF NOTICE UPON SEVENTH REPORT OF RECEIVER DATED NOVEMBER 26, 1926.

The Receiver heretofore appointed in the above-entitled case having this day filed his seventh report dated November 26, 1926, it is ordered that the Receiver notify the Chairman of the Department of Public Utilities of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Mayors of the Cities of Newton and Marlborough, and the Chairmen of the Boards of Selectmen of Brookline, Framingham, Hudson, Natick, Northborough, Shrewsbury, Southborough, Wellesley and Westborough, and also the plaintiff and the defendant in the above-entitled case, to appear before the Justices of this Court, at the equity session thereof to be holden at Boston, within and for the County of Suffolk, on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of December, 1926, at 9:30 o'clock A.M., by mailing to each of them, postage prepaid, on or before December 2, 1926, a copy of this order; and it is further ordered that the Receiver give notice to all other persons interested therein to appear as aforesaid, by publishing a copy of this order once a week for two successive weeks in the Boston Evening Transcript, Newton Graphic, Framingham Evening News, Marlborough Daily Enterprise, and Worcester Telegram, the last publication to be at least four days before said fourteenth day of December, 1926; that they may then and there show cause, if any they have, why the Court should not approve said seventh report of the Receiver and the accident claim payments described in said report, and authorize the Receiver to remove the defendant's rails, ties and other property from Concord Street, Framingham, extending from Worcester Road to the village of Saxonville, and to issue Receiver's certificates to an amount not exceeding $100,000, all as prayed for in said report.

November 26, 1926.

By the Court,
(Signed) FREDERIC L. PUTNAM,
Assistant Clerk.

A true copy
Attest: (Signed)
FREDERIC L. PUTNAM,
Asst. Clerk.
Dec. 3-10.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the **power of sale** in a certain mortgage given by Florence Vachon to The Newton Co-operative Bank dated July 3, 1917 and recorded with Middlesex South District deeds, Book 4151, Page 7, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at four o'clock P. M., on the twenty-second day of December A. D. 1926, on or at the premises all and singular the premises described in said mortgage,

To wit: a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situate in Newton in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the dividing line between lands of Broderick and Vachon which point is seventy (70) feet west from the west line of Faxon Street; and

Thence running westerly by land now or late of Broderick fifty (50) feet;

Thence turning and running northerly by land now or late of Broderick fifty-eight (58) feet;

Thence turning and running easterly by land now or late of Ferdinand Vachon fifty (50) feet; and

Thence turning and running southerly by land now or late of Ferdinand Vachon fifty-eight (58) feet to the point of beginning;

Being a part of Lot 7 as shown on a plan by J. H. Curtis dated September 1869 and recorded with said Deeds in

Book of Plans 16 as Plan 53.

Being the same premises conveyed by Alcide J. Vachon to said Florence Vachon by deed dated January 12, 1914 and recorded with said Deeds in Book 3853 Page 221 and being conveyed together with the right of way and subject to and with the benefit of the restrictions therein referred to.

Terms of Sale: Two hundred dollars to be paid at the time of sale and the balance in ten days thereafter.

Other terms to be announced at the sale.

Signed
THE NEWTON CO-OPERATIVE BANK,
By JAMES W. FRENCH,
President,
Present holder of said mortgage.
November 22, 1926.
Nov. 26-Dec. 3-10.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Henry Wood to the Coolidge Corner Co-Operative Bank, dated May 29th, 1926 and recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds in Book 4979, Page 16, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at Public Auction at two o'clock, P.M., on Monday, the twentieth day of December, A. D. 1926, on the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: The land in Newton, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, being shown as Lot 13 on a plan entitled "Subdivision of the Fred Holland Chamberlin Estates, numbers 5 and 6 in Newton Center" made by Rowland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal, Civil Engineers, dated May 1925 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds in Plan Book 358 Plan 12, and bounded and described as follows:—Westerly by Charlotte Road, Seventy-Four & 58/100 (74.58) Feet; Northerly by Lot No. 14 on said plan, One Hundred (100) Feet; Easterly by land of owners unknown Ninety-One & 88/100 (91.88) Feet; Southerly by Lot 12 on said plan, One Hundred One & 70/100 (101.70) Feet; Containing according to said plan 8460 square feet of land. This conveyance is made subject to the Easement of the City of Newton for drainage over the Southerly part of said lot; also to the restrictions set forth in deed from Fred Holland Chamberlin, Inc., to George V. Steeves dated November 7, 1925 and recorded with said deeds in Book 4917 Page 102. The property will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, tax titles, or other liens if any there may be.

$200.00 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, the balance within ten (10) days upon the delivery of the deed.

COOLIDGE CORNER CO-OPERATIVE BANK,
Mortgagee,
By GEORGE R. SLADER, Treasurer.
November 20, 1926.

For further particulars apply to Wyman & Brier, Attorneys, 73 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.
Nov. 26-Dec. 3-10.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of

Isaac S. Dillingham

late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Isaac S. Dillingham who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of

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CHRISTMAS MUSIC

Full Programs At Many Newton Churches to be Given Next Sunday

Eliot Congregational Church, Newton
December 19, at 10.30

Organ Prelude, Noel Buck
Christmas Carols (sung by the choir in the distance)
"The bells within the steeples" Praetorius
"Away in a Manger" Luther's Carol
"Silent Night" Gruber
"Christians awake, salute the happy morn" (Processional) Wainwright
Christmas Anthem, "Sing, Christmas Bells" **Matthews**
Anthem, "While Shepherds watched their flocks" Rogers
Organ Meditation, Pastorale Symphony from "The Messiah" Handel
Offertory (Contralto solo) "O Little Town of Bethlehem" (from "The Holy Infant") Bullard
Organ Postlude, The Hallelujah Chorus from "The Messiah" Handel

Choir: Mrs. Vesta W. Thyden, soprano; Miss Jessie M. French, contralto; J. Garfield Stone, tenor; Walter H. Kidder, bass; Everett E. Truette, organist and choirmaster.

On Sunday, the 26th, at four o'clock, the choir will sing the Christmas Cantata, "The Story of Bethlehem" by Matthews.

Channing Church, Newton
Christmas Sunday, 1926

Prelude, Andante Religioso Thome
Anthems, "O Zion that bringeth good Tidings" Foote
"Good News from Heaven" Bach
"Sing Praise to God" Cesar Frank
Offertory, Adagio Pathetique Godard
Violinist, Miss Mary Pucciarelli
Organist, Miss Ruth Tilton
Sermon, "The Overcrowded Inn"
Mr. Drummond
Candle-Light Service
Five O'Clock
Prelude
Violin, Miss Mary Pucciarelli
'Cello, Miss Doris Forte
Organ, Miss Ruth Tilton
Carols, "What a Wonder"
"The Song of the Angels" Dickinson
Solo, "O Holy Night" Adams
Pageant of "The Adoration"
(Arranged by Mr. Drummond)
(Special program of music adapted to the pageant)

Immanuel Baptist Church, Newton
Organ Prelude, "The Manger" Guilmant
Tenor Solo, "The Holy Child" Martin
Anthem, "Lo, How a Rose" Pratorius
Anthem, "How Shall I Fitly Meet Thee" Bach
Offertory, "The Shepherds in the Field" Malling
Chorus, "Hallelujah, Amen" Handel
Postlude, "Adeste Fideles" Arr. by Whiting

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NEWTON CHORAL SOCIETY

Presents Its First Concert of the Season

The Newton Choral Society gave its 14th concert Monday night at the new high school auditorium with a large attendance. The audience was very cordial in its applause, and some regarded it as the best concert the society has given. The program began with the Bach chorale "Break Forth O Beauteous Heavenly Light." The serene dignity of this famous composition was rendered with a full and sonorous tone. Arthur Sullivan's "I Hear the Soft Note of the Echoing Voice" was given with appreciation of its charming sentiment and expressiveness. Gounod's "Chorus of Bacchantes" was sung with a feeling for its graceful rhythm. Two old folk songs, "Sir Eglamore" and "Swansea Town" were done with much enthusiasm and spirit. Nevin's "The Night has a Thousand Eyes" was sung with fine shading. A negro spiritual "Nobody Knows De Trouble I've Seen", arranged with modern harmonies by H. T. Burleigh, was given with a faithful appreciation of its originality and sentiment.

A group of Christmas selections closed the program, and were finely done. One, the beautiful "Jesu Bambino" by Yon, and the brilliant and inspiring "Hallelujah Chorus" from Beethoven's "Mount of Olives." The audience joined in singing the Adeste Fideles as a part of the recognition of the Christmas season. In two of the selections the chorus was capably assisted by Miss Dorothy Bates, soprano, and Miss Irene Forte, violinist.

The soloist of the evening was Miss Olivia Cate, and it was a great pleasure for the music lovers of Newton to welcome this brilliant young artist who is a product of our city. She played a Brahms Waltz and a Tango by Albeniz with a charming simplicity that did not give much hint of her real power. She showed her versatility in the "Danse Rituelle de feu" by De Falla, a piece of eccentric but interesting modernism. But when she began to play from Chopin, and rendered with great intelligence and splendid technique the A flat Waltz and B minor Scherzo, the audience was given some idea of her very remarkable gifts. She has the qualities of musical genius, and one can see that she has a fine future ahead. She plays with unusual intelligence and feeling, and gives a richness of interpretation which goes beneath any superficial conception of such works. The audience welcomed her very enthusiastically and asked for encores which were charmingly given.

The concert as usual was directed by Mr. William Lester Bates, whose highly superior gifts of musicianship have been the leading factor in the success of this organization. Miss Lillian West served as usual as accompanist, and her very capable work in this function has been of great help to the society.

COMMUNITY PAGEANT

Elaborate Program To Be Given in West Newton

The Community Christmas Tree, given under the auspices of the West Newton Community Centre, promises to draw great crowds to the Eden Ave. Playground on Thursday, December 23rd, at 7.15.

About 6.45 the chimes on the Unitarian church will play old Christmas carols, thus announcing the activities of the evening. While the public is assembling on the Playground the same carols will again be sounded forth by a cornetist, who with the assistance of Mr. Leon Baldwin, will be in charge of the music.

At 7.15 the following program will begin: Dedication, Mayor Childs; Pageant "Torches Bring Jeanette Isabella;" Pantomime "Massail Song"; "Seek the Hall" and "God Rest you Merry Gentlemen." A group of small girls will also give a drill called "The Dancing Christmas Trees."

There will be Community Carol singing of "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," "O Come all ye Faithful," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," and "Good King Wencelas" with the recessional "Silent Night."

About 200 members of the organization arranged in 14 groups all in different costumes will take part in the Pageant. The groups will be arranged around the stage in an enclosed section, made possible by the co-operation of the Playground Department, and who also provide the illumination on the tree.

One feature of the community spirit this year is the interest taken by outside organizations. The junior choir of the Second Congregational Church will take part as a unit, and members of the Newton Choral Society have volunteered to assist with the singing. At the close members of the Newton Rotary Club will donate a box of candy to each member of the Centre.

The celebration is in charge of Miss Hattiemae Austin, and a large committee who plan to begin promptly at 7.15 and finish at 8 P.M., so that the entertainment will not interfere with home arrangements. Song sheets will be distributed at the entrance, and those attending are urged to carry a candle so they may read the words of the carols.

A Community Christmas Tree in West Newton should attract people from all quarters, and be the means of spreading "Peace on Earth, Good Will Toward Men."

ENJOYABLE CONCERT

By Highland Glee Club at the High School

To attempt to criticise, or structurally pull to pieces a concert such as was presented by the Newton Symphony Orchestra Inc., on Thursday night, December 9, in the magnificent new High School Hall, in the same way that one would examine a Boston or New York Symphony programme, would be nothing short of unfair.

The weather, and perhaps, the change of location unfortunately only turned out quite a moderately sized crowd to hear this first concert of the season, but there was nothing to indicate that those who attended did not thoroughly enjoy the well-balanced programme.

As a comparative stranger to these parts, it is naturally impossible for me to compare it with any previous entertainments, but I will say that among orchestras, the nucleus of which is amateur, the standard of the Newton Symphony is high.

Meyerbeer's Coronation March was the first on the list, in every way an eminently suitable start to a programme, and very well rendered by Mr. Ralph Maclean and his musicians.

Mr. Maclean has the happy knack of getting the most out of his players, and consequently, no part of the programme was at any time marred by raggedness usually inevitable to a group of players who rehearse perhaps no more than once a week, which proves the worth of a conductor.

The second selection was Sibelius' famous "Valse Triste," a very popular number, and also very well remembered.

Miss Gertrude Tingley followed with the delightfully vivacious Gypsy Song from "Carmen," accompanied by the Orchestra. Miss Tingley has of recent years, become very well known in Boston's musical circles, and apart from the rich contralto voice with which she is blessed, it was her easiness of style and delightful spirit that immediately won over the hearts of her Newton audience.

The second group of songs ably accompanied, by the way, by Mr. Maclean at the piano, were of a nicely varied nature, and rendering of "Buckingham Palace" (the words from A. A. Milne's famous "when we were very young") was marked with a delightful simplicity of style that I have not heard paralleled for some time. Style, and not the voice itself, is more ably appreciated, though not necessarily understood by the average audience, but when one is treated to a feast of both, one goes home with one's musical appetite well appeased.

The orchestra gave us Schubert's B

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QUIET CITY ELECTION

Small Vote Cast Last Tuesday. Heathcote, Wakefield, Noone and Favinger Win

The city election on Tuesday resulted as all off year elections have usually resulted in a meagre vote, less than 29 per cent of the registered voters taking the trouble to cast their ballots, 6166 to be exact, out of a total of 21,653.

There was but one city wide contest, that for alderman at large from ward 4, in which there were three candidates, the sitting alderman George M. Heathcote being the winner with a first choice vote of 2923 to 2285 for Harold T. Dougherty and 165 for Howard Murphy. As there were three candidates for this office, the preferential system of voting applied. This system allows the individual voter to register a first, second and third choice in candidates. In this plan if one candidate does not have a clear majority of first choice votes, the second choice votes are added to the first choice and a plurality of such totals determines the winner. On Tuesday it was not necessary to include the second choice votes as Mr. Heathcote had a clear ajority of first choice votes.

Dougherty received 346 in second choice votes, Heathcote had 566, and Murphy, 289. There were 12 third choice votes for Dougherty, 8 for Heathcote and 11 for Murphy.

There were three contests for ward alderman, including ward 2, 4 and 5. The ward 2 contest was a real fight. Alderman O'Connell, the sitting candidate, losing out by only 104 votes. Friends of the winner, Augustus L. Wakefield, made a house to house canvas in his behalf, and he received 1060 votes to 956 for O'Connell. It should be noted that over one third of the entire vote of the city was cast in this ward. In ward 4, Alderman Noone had an easy victory over Albert L. Cole, the vote being 565 for Noone and 327 for Cole. In ward 5, Alderman Favinger received even a stronger endorsement, with 495 votes to 143 for Mr. McKenzie. All other candidates were unopposed.

The vote for alderman at large by precincts was as follows:

Wd.	Pre.	Total Vote	Dougherty	Heathcote	Murphy
1	1	299	22	250	1
1	2	257	72	111	9
2	1	889	246	417	17
2	2	808	343	290	20
2	3	367	23	238	25
3	1	312	78	215	7

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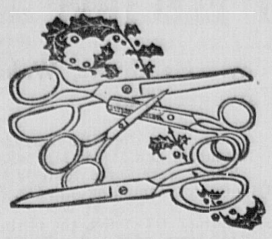
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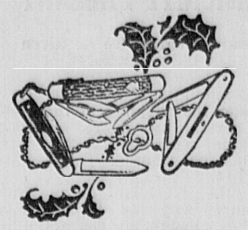
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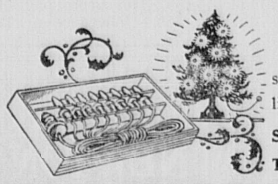
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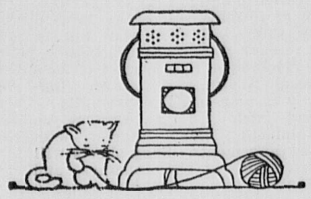
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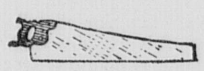
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ALUMNI MEET ON 30th

Final plans are being completed for the annual alumni track meet at the Newton high school. The date of the affair has been advanced so that the competition will take place in the holiday recess when the former track stars of the school team will be home from the various colleges which they are now attending. Thursday, Dec. 30th, is the date set, and after the meet there will be an informal reunion and dance.

The alumni should be represented by a stronger team than ever before because of the fact that many athletes will be able to compete on that date. Advance notice of the meet was sent this week to every former high school track man now at college. Mr. C. V. Moore, chairman of the track committee of the N. A. A., is co-operating with the authorities and will notify all members of the association in the near future.

The improvements in the new track which will make it one of the best indoor tracks in this part of the country will not be entirely completed because of an unfortunate delay in the arrival of the lumber for the work. A number of boys in the vocational school under the direction of Mr. Dulac are building the new banks. Each piece of lumber has been turned out by machine wherever possible so that the finished job will be of the highest order. It is expected that one end of the track will be completed prior to the Christmas vacation, and when school is resumed after the first of the year the other end will be completed.

This will make it necessary for the performers in the alumni meet to use but two of the old banks.

The Alumni has been cordially invited to practice with the high school team on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday afternoons until the holiday recess. Dates when the old gymnasium will be open during the recess will be announced next week.

NEWTON HIGH TRACK SCHEDULE

Dec. 30—Alumni Meet.
Jan. 8—Interclass Meet.
Jan. 15—Open.
Jan. 22—Rindge.
Jan. 29—Brookline at Brookline.
Feb. 5—Brookline at Newton.
Feb. 12—Medford (tentative)
Feb. 18—Huntington (dual)
Feb. 19—Andover Scholastics.
Feb. 26—B. A. A. Scholastics.
Mar. 5—State Scholastics.

SPORT NOTES

Basketball at the high school started off exceedingly well last week when over 200 boys responded to the call for senior practice on Wednesday and Thursday. On Friday a large number of sophomores and juniors turned out with much enthusiasm. Practice will be held until after the Christmas vacation when competition in a round robin tournament will commence.

The track team candidates will probably not be able to practice on the new track in the old drill shed until after the Christmas holidays, as the work was delayed in starting until a week ago, and it is not expected that the improvements will be complete until that time. The new banks are being built by the boys in the school under the direction of Mr. Dulac.

With but four veterans of last year's track team, Buswell, Moore, Ramsden, and Seeley, lost by graduation, prospects for an excellent outfit for the coming season are unusually good. Captain Fullerton will be counted upon for many points this year, as he is a versatile performer. He will probably compete in the dashes, hurdles, shot-put, high jump and broad jump as well as running at anchor on the relay. Other veterans include Cole, Cummings, Kinraide, Kollmeyer, and Stuart. Cole will be entered in the dash, hurdles, and 300; Cummings is a 600-yard runner; Kinraide a dash man and broad jumper; Kollmeyer a hurdler and 300-yard man; and Stuart a 600-yarder and the quartet will probably fight it out for the three places left on the relay team.

Others who should score points for the orange and black flyers are Pearson (dash); Binger (300-yd.); McManus (600); McCrudden and Brewer (1000); Ebelhare, Hammond, and Bowen (shotput); Ebelhare, Hammond, and Burton (high jump).

Melbourne (Buster) Hemeon of Newton Lower Falls was recently elected to captain the 1927 football team at Cushing academy. Hemeon, who played the opposite wing from Carleton McCullough on the Newton high eleven of 1925 so successfully was a mainstay in the same position on the Ashburnham school eleven this past season. His playing this year was such that he was picked for the right end berth on the Boston Globe's All-prep school team. His election to the captaincy for next year marks the second such in prep school circles of former orange and black grid stars, Frenchy Gilligan of Newtonville having been chosen to lead the Exeter eleven some weeks ago.

The Newton Centre Squash Tennis Club will hold its annual squash championship matches for the Middlesex Bowl starting tomorrow. The present bowl was won for the first time in 1924 by Myles P. Baker and last year by Paul B. Watson. To become the permanent possession of any one player it must be won three times. Tournament play on Saturday will not be required of men taking part in team matches tomorrow. The preliminary games may be played on any court agreeable to both contestants but the finals will be played on the Newton Centre courts. All matches will be the best three out of five games.

Bill Blaney of Waban is expected to play an important part in the coming games on the Williams college hockey schedule. The former Country Day School star, who is also a noted golfer, is playing centre and probably will be the star on the offense. Five members of last year's sextet having lost to the purple by graduation have given Blaney his chance. Another Newton youth on the purple six is Curtis Hutchins, also a Country Day athlete. He played at goal last year as an alternate, and this year will be the mainstay in the net. A third Newton boy on the squad is Dwight Shepler of Newtonville, who will probably see considerable action on the runners.

Carleton McCullough, Tom Gilligan, and captain-elect Francis Gilligan of Exeter were recently awarded their letters for the 1926 football season.

Newton should be nearly as well represented on the hockey team at Exeter as it was on the football team. The six is captained by Wilson H. Crosby of West Newton. It is quite possible that Tom Gilligan, unless his ankle goes back on him again, will make the team and pair up with Crosby.

Many Newton hockey fans are greatly interested in the announcement that amateur hockey has not been entirely subdued by the advancement of the professional game. The University Club of Boston is planning to put a strong team of former college players on the ice to compete against other American and Canadian outfits. Newton fans will also be interested to learn that George Owen, Jr., former Newton and Harvard star athlete, will captain the team. Among the players mentioned as possible candidates are Clark Hodder, Ted Learnard, Wayland Vaughan, and Horace Cole, of Newton. Hodder won many hockey honors at Harvard, Learnard at Dartmouth, and the last two at Yale.

The annual reunion of Camp Passaconaway will be held on Thursday, Dec. 30th at the Boston City Club at noon. Over fifty have signified their intention of being present already, and this will undoubtedly be increased to over 100 when the time is at hand. Stanley Lyon will be the toastmaster, and the program includes a number of interesting speakers and movies of the camp.

Ted Gross of West Newton counted the first goal of the season for the Harvard hockey team in the game with M. I. T. last Saturday after five minutes of play. Another of the Crosby brothers played his first game for the Harvard varsity and scored the third of the five Crimson goals on a pretty pass from a teammate.

Newton's track team this winter should be one of the strongest dual outfits in the state. While there are but few outstanding stars who will pick up a few points in the various scholastic meets, there are a number of candidates who will increase Newton's total in the dual affairs sufficiently to keep the orange and black in the lead. Practice is handicapped at present by the alterations to the track but the boys are displaying a fine spirit and enthusiasm over the new opportunities and the abolition of the former dangerous corners.

There will be a newcomer on the track team schedule this winter. Medford is expected to sign a two-year agreement in the near future which will revive the intense rivalry which formerly existed on the football field when Medford was a member of the Suburban league. This meet will furnish good competition for the orange and black runners. Medford can be given a five-point handicap right from the start as George Chalmers, football captain in the past season, is the peer of all schoolboy high jumpers in the state. If he improves this winter as he did last he will have a fair chance to tie or even break the state scholastic record.

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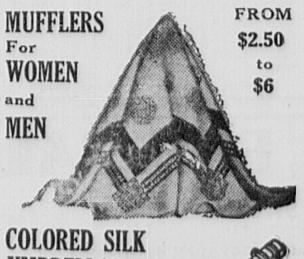


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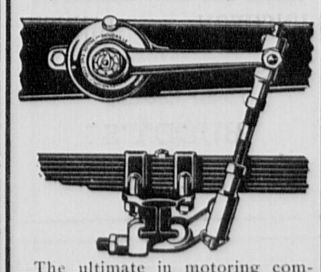
With the rapid approach of Christmas and the welcome home-coming of the scattered members of the various Newton families that have passed these weeks away from home it might be well to glance over what your home-coming means to you and to your parents. From the latter's viewpoint it is a memorable and exciting affair, mainly because they have deep interest in you and your works. For the student it is merely, often times, a chance for relaxation, and an opportunity to give vent to their desire for good times. Some thing can be said on both sides, but this much the average person in college should think of, that is, that the home folks should come first during the weeks since they are the ones that are making your education possible. No moralization is needed. A few moments time spent with father and mother amply repays all the long hours of absence and subsequent worry. Therefore members of the various colleges take time this Christmas to give Dad and Mother a big piece of Christmas joy by devoting yourself to them for a period each day in order to show them just what you have gained from your college standards.

Returning for the time to Mount Holyoke in order to recall the last representatives that recently entered we find that Helen Bicknell and Emily Littlefield, fellow town-mates and class-mates, are at present in the sophomore class. They both were good scholars while attending high school and have done better than the average work at college. Helen was a member of Alpha Gamma Tau her two final years, and at the same time was on the basket-ball team two seasons. Her greatest achievement came after she had entered college when she broke the college record in two events last spring in the Spring Outdoor Track meet. Unfortunately an injury received from basketball has meant that she must refrain from any active sport this year. Nevertheless, she is one of the foremost women athletes in Boston. Emily Littlefield was one of the leading news-gatherers during her last years at Newton. Excelling in the news part of the Newtonite she held her position for two seasons, and in her final months was on the Newtonian. The last Newton graduate that we have not mentioned at Mount Holyoke is Faith Stone of Newton Centre. One of the most brilliant of all students at the high school, she was hampered by accidents and illness her final year, but persevered, coming out an honor student. In club activities she was a prominent participant, holding membership in the English Club all four years; the first two in Alpha Beta, while the last were spent in the upperclass group. Besides this organization, the French Club had her enrolled for her last terms, being the secretary for the group in her senior months. She held the same office in the Mathematics Club, in which she had been a member for three years. Also the drama group under Miss Wetherbee claimed her attention at the same time. Under her direction the Newtonite copy staff reached a peak of excellence that seldom is either reached or maintained in a High School periodical. In recognition of this effort she obtained the Newtonite key, a symbol of her ability and devotion to an ideal. Many writers in the making who passed in their first copy to her, or to her assistants, found her an able counsellor and guide. Faith also served on the Senior Play Committee as an executive, and as an added proof of her powers in this line she was a representative to the Constitutional Convention.

To return again to the near-by college known as Wellesley, we will enumerate the works and accomplishments of other girls from Newton who now attend the lecture-halls of that college. First of these to mention this week is Olive Crawe of Newtonville. She entered from Newton Junior High, soon becoming interested in a variety of activities in the outside life of the school. On the lists of the Mathematics organization we note her name, and in her senior year she was enrolled in the French and English Clubs. As a writer for the Newtonite she was one of the most versatile persons on the staff, showing rare ability along the lines of feature articles. In a scholastic way she was near the top for she was on the Honor Roll for three consecutive years. In her junior terms she was on the class volleyball team, and only the fact that they did not form such a team in her senior session kept her off of it. Another member of this youthful class is Margaret Henry. She also was proficient in the High School's English requirements; as a result the English Club, first as Alpha Beta, secondly, as the senior group, welcomed her as a member for three years. In her last year she made a grand enrollment, joining not only the afore-mentioned body, but also the French Club, the Drama Club, and Ex Libris. In the same session she was a writer on the Newtonian, being responsible to a large extent for the excellent pictures and captions in the 1926 issue. Previously she had gained some valuable experience in writing for the Newtonite in her sophomore and junior years. In spite of all the work and outside interests Peggy stood very close to the highest in her class when the Honor Roll was read, and some of her efforts in English were exceptionally well written.

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NEWTON SPORTS

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LOWELL DEFEATS NEWTON

In a Two-State league, Eastern division basketball game at the Lowell Y. M. C. A. last Saturday night, the Newton Y five went down to its second defeat by a score of 41 to 20. Robertson, right forward of the Lowell team, was the outstanding star with eight baskets from the floor and one from the foul line for a total of 17 points. For the local five Wellman led with eight points, Kohler tallied five and Hardy four. Connearney tossed in one from the floor and Shields added the twentieth point on a free try.

"Y" WRESTLERS LOSE OPENER

In the opening wrestling meet of the season last Saturday night the Newton Y. M. C. A. team was defeated 18 to 11 by the Boston Y team. The decision bouts were of nine minutes' duration.

The summary:

135-Pound Class—Cassidy, Newton, defeated Ferris, Boston, by default, after two minutes' wrestling; Domici, Boston, defeated Palmieri, Newton, 8½ minutes, crotch hold and lift.

147-Pound Class—Farrell, Boston, defeated Vachon, Newton, decision; Arsenault, Newton, defeated Pappas, Boston, decision.

160-Pound Class—Capt. Manoli, Boston, defeated Graham, Newton, 7½ minutes, crotch hold; Russell, Boston, defeated Chapin, Newton, head hip-lock, 1¼ minutes.

Handicap Bout — Spriano, Boston, 160 pounds, and Arsenault, Newton, 150 pounds. Spriano, failing to score a fall in the alloted time, forfeited three points to Newton.

SPORT NOTES

Miss Faith Stone of Newton Centre, a freshman at Mount Holyoke, is captain of the freshman archery, a sport at which she is most proficient. She has been a member of the Newton Centre organization that has given many star archers to the country including Miss Dorothy Smith, the champion woman archer of this vicinity.

The Smith hockey team that had such a splendid record this year had one Newton girl in its line-up, Martha Richardson of Newton Centre. She played the responsible position of goal on the Smith aggregation, and due in the main to her efforts the team had a successful season.

Priscilla Brooks at Wheaton led the hockey club through a most successful year. Victory perched on the Blue's banner with frequency, and the able leadership of the Newton Highlands girl was to a large measure responsible for their splendid showing.

In Connecticut College one of Newton's best basketeers ever developed by Mrs. Kuntz will show her ability this winter, namely: Frances Brooks. Last year at Newton she was the most deadly shot on the team, rolling up large scores by reason of her accuracy. She is fast on her feet and a heady player with the result that opposing guards find her most difficult to cover.

In the Tilton School in New Hampshire line-up for field hockey one notes the name Lewis at goal. Ruth Lewis failed to make the Newton squad but at Tilton she had turned in a star performance all year.

At Exeter the two Gilligan brothers are both candidates for the ice sextet. Tom at Newton was a rough and ready wing whose ability to check and to stand the rough going made him valuable. Frenchy, although he never played at Newton, made a creditable showing last season at goal and from all indications will be on the squad this year.

Stone School in Boston, if they put a hockey team on the ice, will be reinforced by one of the members of Newton's championship team in the person of Holmes Whitmore. Whitmore played right wing for two years at Newton and his exhibition in last year's Andover game stamped him as a scoring power par excellence.

William Henrich of Newton should have an excellent year at Harvard this term as his experience in the running events of last season should stand him in good stead. His specialty is the hurdles, but by training and coaching he was turned into a pretty fair quarter-miler last winter. While at Newton he ran almost all the short distance events, doing his best in the high jump.

Tomorrow evening the Y. M. C. A. basketball team will open its season on the home court. Two games will be played with the Lynn Y first and second teams furnishing the opposition. The visiting team always has a strong aggregation of players and a good game is in order. The local Y having gone down to defeat in its first two games, is anxious to begin an ascent in the league standing at the expense of Lynn, which won a playoff of a tie for the Eastern division championship from Brockton, only to be defeated fo the Two-State title by Fitchburg.

Newton high is going in for hockey extensively this fall and will extend the plan of having a junior varsity, freshman, and class teams as well as a varsity, to the ice sport. This makes the third sport in which the plan has been tried as Newton has had several football and baseball teams for the past two years. Mr. Oscar Martin will continue to coach the varsity while Mr. Willard of the faculty will be in charge of the other teams. Over 200 boys have responded to the call for hockey candidates, and are now conditioning for the season ahead.

In addition to the boys and girls' activities in basketball the faculty men are planning to put a number of teams on the floor. Practice for these teams is being held after the boys and girls have finished their daily sessions on the court.

A tentative track schedule recently announced called for a triangular track meet with Cambridge Latin, Rindge Tech and Newton on January 22nd. The former school has withdrawn and Newton and Rindge will stage a dual meet on that date.

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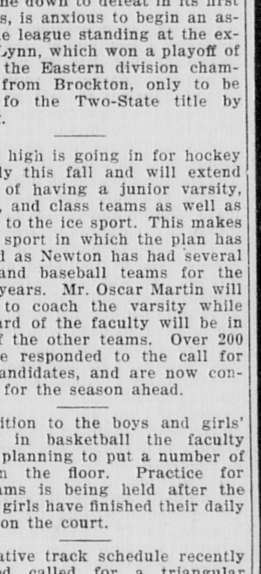
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RECENT EVENTS

Newton Centre Woman's Club

One who is interested to learn intimately something of the different phases of Club life, should circulate among the different committees.

Especially are there fruitful opportunities for enlightenment when there is a club house in which to circulate.

More and more, the Newton Centre Woman's Club house is coming to be a community centre as well as a Club centre, and this was shown by the many visitors among the inspiring audience that gathered on December 9th, to hear Mrs. Grace Morrisson Poole's second talk of the year on Current Events. It was an audience representing a community of wide-awake, alert and open-minded people, many of whom have watched with much interest Mrs. Poole's growth, in the year's since she first started upon her successful career. John XII: 32, were the words that came into mind, as her hearers felt the uplift of thought and spirit which came in response to her vibrant atmosphere and her message of good-will.

In addition to the Current Events mornings, a number of Club members are enjoying a Class in Dramatic Reading, under the leadership of Mrs. Everett Winslow, Chairman of the Dramatics Committee.

An aid to all these enjoyments, Mrs. Bertrand Collins and her helpers of the House Committee have succeeded in giving a genuine home touch to the different rooms of the Club house, which not even rummage sales nor city elections can destroy.

Nor are the activities of the committees confined to the Club house.

The Art Committee entertained in most delightful fashion—in their work room one afternoon.

The room is upstairs in Mrs. Chas. Wood Bond's garage, on Gibbs street. Hooked rugs, Italian glass, reclaimed trays, and various other articles were on exhibition, and the guests admired each other, the exhibit, the hostesses, and the tea and sandwiches, by candlelight. Mrs. H. Cornell Appleton, Chairman of the Art Committee, and Mrs. Bond, were hostesses and made merry with their guests over the corner which had been dedicated to kitchen purposes.

All of which proves that, since variety is the spice of life, the Newton Centre Woman's Club is enjoying life at its very spiciest!

Newton Upper Falls Woman's Club

A concert was given last Monday eve, Dec. 13, in the kindergarten room of the Emerson school, Newton Upper Falls, that will linger in the minds of those who heard it for a long time. It was given by the Newton Upper Falls Woman's Club, to pay for a new piano which the Club has bought, and installed in the kindergarten room.

As Miss Madeline Cobb said, in introducing the last chorus, the concert was an event in which Newton, as a whole community, tok part. It began with chorus singing by a picked chorus of the Upper Falls Club, which has trained under the direction of Mrs. Thomas D. Ginn, of Newton Highlands. People from other parts of Newton took part as soloists. A chorus from the Newton Highlands Club closed the program, under the direction of Mrs. Ginn.

After the opening chorus, by the Newton Upper Falls Club, Mr. Edward N. Griffin, Director of Music in the Newton Schools, sang a group of songs, playing his own accompaniments. Had the audience not known that there were others waiting their turn, it is doubtful if they would have let him stop. Mr. Griffin was followed by Miss Julia Tobin, a teacher in the Claflin School. Lucky Claflin School. Miss Tobin was a complete surprise. Had she been introduced as a member of a standard opera company no one would have doubted her right to such a place. It may be that others will have the pleasure of hearing her in Newton later in the season. Miss Horner, of the Franklin School, West Newton, played for Miss Tobin.

Miss Marjorie Sumpter, who followed Miss Tobin with a group of readings, has now become well known to the Club. They have liked her work so much that hardly a season passes that her name is not on the program list. Monday night her readings were of the Christmas flavor, and her work at her very best.

Another complete surprise was the appearance of Sir Harry Lauder in the person of Mr. C. H. Phillips, of Bangor. Mr. Phillips entertained thousands of the buddies in France, taking off Sir Harry, and won the affection of Mr. Lauder himself, who never fails to see him when in town, and has planned to have Mr. Phillips go on the boards and take him off, on the next Bangor trip. It is enough to say that Mr. Phillips planned to sing one song, and had to sing four before they would let him off.

At the close of the concert flowers were presented to Mrs. Raymond Simonds, of Newton Highlands, who played the accompaniments, and to Mrs. Ginn. The hall was packed, and it was voted the best thing of its kind that Newton Upper Falls has ever had.

The Newton Upper Falls Woman's Club had their expectations realized Monday night, December 6, at the Christmas Party.

After a brief business meeting the President, Mrs. Thomas E. Lees, turned the program over to the chairman of the Hospitality Committee, Mrs. Raymond Capobianco.

Miss Rita Feeney, of Dedham, just seven years old, entertained with a clog dance, in costume. Miss Ann Carnivale, also of Dedham, and twelve years old, gave an acrobatic dance, followed by an Oriental one, both in costume, with Mrs. Wood at the piano. Mrs. Wood and Miss Francis Warren, the latter of Newton Upper Falls, contributed attractive piano solos, and then Miss Warren added a very pretty waltz.

Miss Madeline Cobb, who is chairman of the Music Committee, and very poud of the Club chorus, vied with Mrs. Capobianco for honors and led the chorus in a number of Christmas Carols, the entire club joining in.

Excitement rose to top notch when Santa's bells came jingling in, and Santa, (Mrs. Thomas L. Aitken) all the way from the North Pole, proceeded to distribute dainty bags of Christmas candy to each and every one.

The Club room was most attractively decorated with poinsettias, Christmas bells, and a Christmas Tree!

Santa had a busy time delivering mysterious packages to club members, and one small red silk bag, tied very securely to the tree, was found to contain $45.00 in gold, earned by the Hospitality committee, and presented to the Newton Upper Falls Woman's Club, for the piano fund.

Much praise is due the Committee as the money was earned during the early fall, by a series of whist parties held in the homes of the committee.

Mrs. Ernest Cobb interpreted Santa to swell that fund by the donation of ten dollars ($10.00).

It was certainly "hospitality night," as the committee proved by the dainty luncheon, which was served after Santa Claus bade a fond good bye until another Club year.

Auburndale Review Club

The members of the Auburndale Review Club met with Mrs. Arthur C. Farley at her home on Central St. on Tuesday morning, and enjoyed a program on three of our Western States: Montana,, Wyoming and Utah. Miss Margaret Haskell recalled many of the wonderful sights in the Yellowstone, which she visited several years ago, and Mrs. N. L. Grant described Zion and Glacier Parks. As Miss E. C. Williams was not able to be present, her sister, Mrs. J. F. Rider read from John Van Dyke's "The Open Spaces." Mrs. Richard Walter had visited these Parks very recently, and told interesting items concerning them. A group of three songs by Miss Ruth Perkins of West Newton, formerly an Auburndale girl, delighted her hearers.

Auburndale Woman's Club

"David Garrick" has many old-time friends and near acquaintances, for the Congregational Church was filled to capacity on "Open Night," December 7th, to hear Phidelah Rice read T. W. Robertson's drama, to the guests of the Auburndale Woman's Club and of Lasell Seminary. There is great charm about the old story, which has been played by many of the fine actors of a schol that is fast passing by—Mansfield, Forbes Robertson, the Sotherns, young and old, Richard Barrett, and many others. Mr. Rice's impersonation of each character was well done, and most enthusiastically received by the audience. In response to the very evident appreciation of his efforts, Mr. Rice added an extra bit to the program by reading, "If I Had Time." The Lasell Glee Club gave a group of three Christmas songs.

Newton Community Club

The Newton Community Club held its only meeting of the month on December 9th. The Club Chorus, under the leadership of Mr. Houghton, gave much pleasure by its singing of songs appropriate to the pre-Christmas season. Mrs. Irving O. Palmer spoke briefly of the work and purpose of the Newton Central Council which is a clearing-house for nearly 60 health, welfare, and civic organizations of the city.

The speaker of the afternoon was Mrs. Jennie Loitman Barron, a Boston lawyer, whose subject was "Is Woman Suffrage Fulfilling its Purpose?" Mrs. Barron considers that it is, for, after all, it is only six years old! She traced the slow and difficult emancipation of women from a form of property to individuals. It was a surprise to many to be reminded that it was not until 1902 that a law was passed which gave women the right to joint guardianship of their children.

As fair-minded persons realize, much remains to be accomplished, however, to right many years of injustice. Mrs. Barron emphasized the need for a universal marriage and divorce law; the widely different laws of the several states now causing endless confusion. She urged jury service for women, stating they are liable for such service in 22 states already.

At the close of her address, Mrs. Barron made an eloquent appeal for peace, urging women to use their political power to that end. She had no thought of antagonism between men and women, but considers that they

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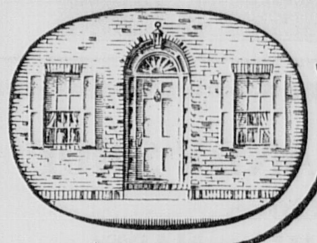
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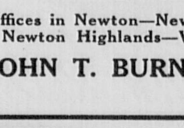
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CHRISTMAS MUSIC

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Church of the New Jerusalem, Newtonville
December 19, 1926
Carol Service at 10.40 A. M.
(By the Quartet)

Four Traditional Carols
(1) "Happy Bethlehem" Basque
(2) "Joyful Tidings" French
(3) "Here in this Very Town" French
(Soprano and Tenor)
(4) "Bring a Torch, Jeannette, Isabella" French
Carol-Anthem—"Sleep, Holy Babe" T. Frederick H. Candlyn
Morning Worship
Organ Prelude—Pastorale (First Sonata) Guilmant
Anthem—"While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night" Smart
Offertory—The Sussex Mummers' Christmas Carol (Arr. by Percy Grainger)
Miss Rosalind Kempton, Violinist
Organ Postlude—"Now thank we all our God" Karg-Elert
(Triumphal March)
Quartet—Mrs. L. Ivan Pettys, Soprano; Miss Emily R. Smith, Alto; Mr. Harry R. Rogers, Tenor; Mr. W. A. Nickerson, Bass. Mr. R. Lawrence Capon, Organist and Choir Master.

Congregational Church, Auburndale
Dec. 19, 10.30 A. M.
Organ Prelude, The Holy Night Dudley Buck
Anthem, "Arise, shine" James H. Rogers
Anthem, The Newborn King L'Espoir
Carol, "What child is this?" Berwald
Offertory, Pastorale Karg-Elert
Postlude, Hallelujah Chorus Handel
Mrs. Arthur F. Farley, soprano; Miss Beatrice Alling, alto; Mr. Norman Finnell, tenor; Mr. Waldo W. Cole, bass and director; Miss Marion Chapin, organist.

Newton Highlands, Congregational Church
Sunday, Dec. 19, 10.30 A. M.
Prelude:
a Organ Chorale: "Ich dank dir, lieber Herre" Karg-Elert
b Carol (Choir) "Bring a Torch, Jeannette, Isabella" Old French
c Violin and Organ "Meditation" (Op. No. 70) Rousseau
Anthem: "O Come, Redeemer of Mankind" (with violin obligato) J. E. West
Carol: (Choir)
"Lo, How a Rose e'er Blooming" Praetorius
Response: "The Sleep of the Child Jesus" Gevaert
Offertory: Solo for Alto, "Sleep Holy Babe" from "The Story of Christmas," with violin obligato. Matthews
Postlude: "Finale" from Sonata in A (Violin and Organ) Handel
Organ Music for Pageant at 4 P. M., (Dec. 19)
Organ Prelude: "Shepherds in the field" Malling
Organ Postlude: "And the Glory of the Lord" from "Messiah" Handel
Choir—Mrs. Marion Duffie, Soprano; Mrs. Lillian B. Smith, Contralto; Mr. H. E. Bishop, Tenor; Mr. Carl Wood, Bass. Assisted by Mr. John Metz, Violinist. Edgar Jacobs Smith, Organist and Choirmaster.

Central Church, Newtonville
Sunday, Dec. 19, 11.00 A. M.
Prelude, "Christmas Pastorale" Schlieder
Carols, "There dwelt in Old Judea" Fyffe-Ekman
"Gloria in Excelsis Deo" Reimann
"Shepherds Christmas Song" Cornelius
Contralto Solo, "The Infant Christ" Bach
Baritone Solo, "Mighty Lord" Handel
Postlude, "Hallelujah Chorus"
The Junior Choir of 40 voices will assist the Quartet.

The Second Church (Congregational)
Sunday, Dec. 19 at 10.45 A. M.
Carol Prelude by the Combined Choirs in the Gallery
The First Noel.....Traditional
Listen Lordings Unto Me Geo. L. Osgood
Sleep, Little Dove, Old Alsatian Carol
The Shepherd's Story Clarence Dickenson
O Holy Night Franz Gruber
Processional, "O Come All Ye Faithful" Traditional
(Adeste Fideles)
Anthem, "Hallelujah Chorus" Handel
From "The Messiah"
Choir and Congregation
Offertory Anthem, "O Holy Night" Adolph Adam
The Combined Choirs
Anthem, "Sleeps Judea Fair" Hugh Mackinnon
Recessional "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing" Mendelssohn
Organ Postlude, "Christmas Fantasy on 'Antioch'" Homer Norris
The Choir Soloists
Marion Kingsbury, Soprano; Bertha Putney Dudley, Contralto; Robert D. Paul, Tenor; Paul C. Scarborough, Bass.
Vested Chancel Choir, 35 Voices, Auxiliary Choir (Vested) 75 Voices. William Lester Bates, Organist and Choirmaster.
At 4.00 P. M.
The Christmas Cantata "The Story of Christmas" by Alexander Matthews will be sung by the full Choir and Soloists, followed by the "Service of Lights."

North Congregational Church
Dec. 19, 10.45 A. M.
Anthem, "How beautiful upon the Mountain"
Carol, "The First Noel"
Sung by the Young People's Choir
Anthem by the Quartette
"Arise, Shine" by F. C. Maker
Solo by Mrs. Wm. J. Butler, "On Bethlehem's Plain"
Solo by Dr. C. A. Rae
"And the Angel said" by F. P. Grant
Organ pieces by Adam and Handel
By C. F. Bacon, organist
Xmas Sermon by Rev. Robert L. Rae
6.30 P. M.
Christmas Pageant by Church School with offering for Near East Relief Fund.
Christmas Night at 6 P. M.
Tree and entertainment by the School under direction of Mrs. E. O. Childs and Mrs. Dr. Lowry.

Newton Centre Unitarian Church
Sunday, Dec. 19, 11 A. M.
Organ Prelude, Cello solo by Robert Pearson Andante by Beethoven
Christmas Carol, O Little Town of Bethlehem
By the Choir
The Hymnal, Gloria
Anthem, "Ye Burghers All" Old French Noel
Offertory Anthem, "Praise Ye The Lord" Cesar Franck
Nunc Dimitis Barnsby
Organ Postlude, Grand Chorus Dubois
Christmas Pageant at 4 P. M.

Centenary Methodist Church, Auburndale
December 19, 1926, 11.00 A. M.
Director, Rev. Earl Enyeart Harper
Organist: Mrs. Franklin E. Leland
Soloists: Clara Lieber Harper, Soprano. Ralph S. Somers, Bass.
Voluntary, "Christmas Meditations" Burdett
Introit: Arr. by Rev. E. E. Harper
(a) Sanctus Tr.
(b) And the Glory Handel
(c) Alleluia Atherton
The Centenary Choir
Chants: "Gloria In Excelsis Deo" Tr
The Centenary Congregation
Gloria Patri" Meincke
Doxology Old Hundred
Hymns: "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing" Mendelssohn
"There's a Song in the Air" Harrington
"Brightest and Best of the Sons of the Morning" Harding
Anthems: "Sing, O Heavens" Tours
"Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence" Holst
Responses, Etc.
After Prayer Arr. by Harper
After the Benediction Dresden Amen
Postlude: "Rhapsody on Christmas Themes" Gigout
Sermon, "The Spirit of Christmas"
At 6.30 P. M., Sunday, Dec. 19, a special Sunday School Service will be held at Centenary Church. The traditional "Sunshine Tree" will remind every one that it is more blessed to give than to receive. A special Christmas program, "There's a Song in the Air," prepared by the pastor of Centenary Church, and published in the Epworth Herald at Chicago as the official young people's Christmas service for all Methodist Churches will be presented, and Miss E. Hortense Sheldon will read a Christmas story.

Christmas music in the Congregational Church will be given next week.

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CITY ELECTION

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5	3	241	127	91	—
5	4	82	24	50	1
6	1	239	121	114	1
6	2	174	86	81	—
6	3	119	86	22	4
7	1	122	40	59	1
7	2	194	146	39	2
Total		6166	2285	2923	165

These candidates were elected without opposition:

Aldermen at large
Ward 1, Thomas M. Gallagher, 3967
Ward 2, Roy V. Collins, 3363
Ward 3, Sinclair Weeks, 3731
Ward 5, Henry W. Bail, 3256
Ward 6, Henry M. Bliss, 3218
Ward 7, Harry W. Fitts, 3117

School Committee
Ward 1, Elliott B. Church, 3215
Ward 4, Maxwell C. Hutchins, 3327
Ward 7, Grosvenor Calkins, 3188

Ward Aldermen
Ward 1, John C. Madden, 556
Ward 3, Richard T. Leahy, 1031
Ward 6, John C. deMille, 532
Ward 7, Frederick Hawkins, 251

ENJOYABLE CONCERT

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minor Symphony (unfinished), with a good deal more of Schubert in it than I have heard among most amateur ensembles. Unfortunately, it has become a somewhat well-worn "popular classic," and with all due respect, the average "movie" orchestra seems to do its level best to transform its composer into rather more a contemporary of Irving "Berlin."

Space forbids further detailed comment, but the following is the full programme:

Coronation March from "The Prophet" Meyerbeer
Valse Triste from "Kuslema" Sibelius
Whispering Flowers V. Blon
"All 'udir del sistro il suon" Gypsy song from "Carmen" Bizet
Dance of the Hours from "La Gioconda" Ponchielli
Unfinished Symphony in B minor
I. Allegro moderato
II. Andante con moto Schubert
Quelle Souffrance Lenormand
L'Angelus Folk Song of Brittain
The Second Minuet Besly
Buckingham Palace Fraser-Simson
from "when we were very young" Milne
Return of Spring Wyman
Overture "Merry Wives of Windsor" Nicolai

DEATH OF MRS. NICKERSON

Mrs. Kate Morton Nickerson died Wednesday in her eighty-fifth year at her home, 87 Highland street, West Newton. She was the widow of Theodore Nickerson, a railroad man, who was assistant to the president of the Mexican Central Railway.

Mrs. Nickerson was a native of Bridgewater, and the daughter of Andrew B. Cobb. She was long president of the board of directors of the Nickerson Home for Children in Dorchester and at one time was a member of the Old South Church, Boston, though recently having transferred her allegiance to the West Newton Congregational Church.

Her surviving children are two daughters, Mrs. Alfred Gaskill of Brandon, Vt., and Mrs. Frederick S. Pratt, who lived with her at the West Newton home; and two sons, Thomas Nickerson of New York and Henry Cobb Nickerson of Pasadena, Calif.

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EDITORIALS

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In the consideration of the water question in this city, we remind our readers that there are two distinct issues in the problem, which ought not to be confused. The first is the discoloration of the water by Crenothrix, which has been the target for criticism for the past year or so, and which has been almost completely eliminated from the larger water mains during the past summer and which will be eliminated from the smaller mains early in the spring. In passing, it should be noted that this condition was not unhealthy although it was disagreeable while it lasted. The second matter to consider was the action taken by a group of physicians recently, urging the abandonment of the present water supply and the use of Metropolitan water until the state board of health should have "guaranteed" the purity of the Newton water supply. The phraseology used in the statement by these physicians was most unfortunate, as was the publicity given the matter at a time when the community had not quite recovered from its agitation over the Chrenothrix matter. As good, if not better results would have been obtained, if this statement had been quietly submitted to the mayor and city government without giving it to the newspapers. We understand that the statement was based on an examination of analyses of the water for a period of twenty years and more particularly of examinations made the past summer, which showed that the water had some evidences of contamination. It should be borne in mind that the state board of health makes this analysis at frequent intervals and that during the past summer, many more examinations were made than usual, although nothing was said to the Water Commissioner about the results until the letter from Dr. Bigelow of November 1st. This would seem to indicate that the state board was not unduly anxious over the quality of the Newton water even though it did show some contamination. Prompt work by the Water Department evidently remedied the trouble as all the recent examinations have shown the water perfectly safe. The action taken by the aldermen Dec. 6, was principally aimed at the cleaning of the old wooden conduit from Chrenothrix. This will require the closing down of the present source and the use of Metropolitan water for our entire supply for a period of two or three weeks, during which Newton people may learn the difference between the two kinds of water.

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The slim vote cast at the city election on Tuesday emphasizes the suggestion frequently made in the GRAPHIC that the city should adopt the biennial plan of elections. It is evidently impossible to make the people vote where there is little public interest, and if we cannot move the mountain to Mohammet, we had better accept the situation and move Mohammet to the mountain, or in other words hold elections only at such times as the public will take some interest, usually when there is an election for the important office of mayor. This can be done by obtaining the necessary legislation from the General Court, and having the proposed change voted upon by the people at the city election next December.

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In these days of "juicy" streets, we earnestly urge motorists to remember that pedestrians do not like to be showered with liquid mud and water caused by driving a car 25 or 30 miles an hour. Incidentally, we also hope they will refrain from parking their cars directly opposite the paths cut thru the snow to allow pedestrians to cross the streets.

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We have received an interesting communication on the water situation which we will publish if the name of the author is given us in confidence.

ABOUT TOWN

In last week's GRAPHIC was an article written by us concerning the gasoline pumps which have been placed outside the Fuller Garage at West Newton. One paragraph quoted Alderman Hodgdon's reference to the fact "that when the permit was granted for the erection of this garage, a condition was imposed that the north and east walls should be setback 30 feet from the intersection of Watertown street, and Davis Court, and that the unoccupied land should be surrounded by a low wall. Through the caprice of that mischievous "devil" who haunts newspapers plants, the "make-up man" of the GRAPHIC mixed the type of a Girl Scouts story with the type of the article relative to the Fuller Garage. Instead of enclosing the unoccupied land at the corner of the garage with a low wall, he enclosed it with "varied wardrobes." Said wardrobes, in reality, belonged to "Friendship Dolls" soon to be sent by the Girl Scouts to little girls in Japan. It would certainly be interesting to have "varied wardrobes" on display at the corner of Watertown street and Davis Court. The building formerly on this site was a horse's dormitory, but the wardrobe, or harness room was on the Washington street side of the stable.

Through a typographical error, we were made to say in "About Town" last week that lime is supposed to be an "alternative" for uric acid. What we really wrote was, "lime is supposed to be an "alterative."

A year or two ago when so much trouble was being experienced with Newton water, we asked Water Commissioner Whitney, "What causes the discoloration in the water?" Mr. Whitney informed us that the principal cause is Crenothrix, and he explained what this substance is. We subsequently obtained more information regarding Crenothrix from Dr. Arthur Hudson, City Bacteriologist. At various times, including last week, we endeavored to impart to the readers of the GRAPHIC, the information we received from these two gentlemen. We stated that Crenothrix is a species of bacteria which grows in ponds and reservoirs. We refrain from again mentioning the long scientific name given to this species of bacteria. Leon Lam, the "chem de linotype" of the GRAPHIC PRESS, threatened to annihilate us if he had to spell this name again. Despite our attempted careful efforts to tell what Crenothrix is, a rising young journalist friend of ours, burst into print last week with the assertion that Crenothrix "in plain English is iron rust." Since the statement of our fellow scribe contradicts the information we obtained from gentlemen who are experts on water, we would suggest that he consult the unabridged edition of Webster's Dictionary for a definition of Crenothrix. Undoubtedly iron rust has formed to some extent in the water mains, and has been mixed with the Crenothrix. But Crenothrix, either in New Latin or plain English, is not iron rust.

Some years ago the Postoffice Department of the United States of America, established the rating, or rank, or what you will, of "Special Clerk." Special clerks, were, and are, supposed to be employees possessing superior ability and knowledge regarding postoffice work, or whose industry is so much above the average, that the work they accomplish entitles them to $100 or $200 more in salary than ordinary clerks. Theoretically the creation of the rating of "special clerk" was commendable. But in practice is has worked out about as persons conversant with the workings of the Post Office Department expected it would. In a large percentage of cases the clerks advanced to the rating of "special clerk" were not promoted because of unusual ability or industry. They were made "special clerks" because they obtained a "drag," or political pull. Such unfairness has not improved the morale of the postal service. In the Newton postoffice is a clerk who has given years of conscientious service. He takes an intense interest in his work, and accomplishes as much as two ordinary clerks. He is head and shoulders above a large percentage of employees throughout the Boston Postal District who have been advanced to the rating of special clerk. But he still is rated as, and receives an ordinary clerk's salary. Why? Because he has never been fortunate enough to get sufficient political pull to obtain that advancement which he justly deserves. We refrain from mentioning his name here, because this tribute to him was written absolutely without his knowledge, and he might be accused of collusion in the publishing of this paragraph.

Water may be a subject on which Newton folks are quite "fed up." They certainly have read and heard enough about Newton water in the last few weeks. But water is one of the most vital things in our lives. Medical men tell us that humans are 67 per cent water. This being so, it is difficult to understand why some men are so thirsty. Or perhaps, it explains why they are so thirsty for some other liquid than water. If they are water saturated 67 per cent, it is no wonder they hanker for some fluid other than the mixture of hydrogen and oxygen.

OLD IRONSIDES SOCIETY, C. A. R.

Old Ironsides Society, Children of the American Revolution, held their monthly meeting at the Bonnar-Atwood Studio, Newtonville. Capt. E. S. R. Brandt, U. S. N, an associate member of the society, was the speaker of the afternoon He told of the thrilling movie of "Old Ironsides," and the joy he experienced at the opening night in New York. "Old Ironsides" Society has guaranteed to sell one hundred tokens for the benefit of "Save Old Ironsides" Fund. Mrs. Mary H. McDowell, our State Director, was with us that day, and spoke to us about Titania's Palace, which is to be exhibited at Paine's Furniture, in January. The proceeds will be used for the Children's and Infants' Hospital. Albert Walker sang a very delightful solo, and all the members and guests joined in singing the Flag of Liberty, and Christmas Carols. The children brought their gifts for the Christmas tree for the immigrant children detained at Ellis Island. Many of the children went to the loan exhibit at the Lucy Jackson Chapter House after they had enjoyed the refreshments prepared by the hostesses, Mrs Matthews, Mrs. H. W. Newhall, Mrs. Walter Jones, chairman, Mrs. E. S. R. Brandt, Mrs. Katherine L. Lewis, Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. J. N. Eaton.

DEATHS

LOWERY; on December 8 at 1997 Beacon street, Waban, Mrs. Maria Lowery, age 56 yrs.

WILLIAM; on December 6 at 76 Court street, Newtonville, Thomas Williams, age 70 yrs.

WYETH; on December 6 at 26 Quidnic road, Waban, Mrs. Josephine Wyeth, age 44 yrs.

CHARAZAC; on December 4 at 108 Ward street, Newton Centre, Miss Noelie Charazac, age 52 yrs.

EVANS; on December 4 at 169 Washington street, Newton, Percival Evans, age 58 yrs.

CRESS; on December 5 at 357 Parker street, Newton Centre, Mrs. Flora Cress, age 65 yrs.

FERNALD; on December 2 at 1033 Walnut street, Newton Highlands, Mrs. Ida Fernald, age 71 yrs.

MUMFORD; on December 3 at 17 stearns street, Newton Centre, Mrs. Sarah Mumford, age 61 yrs.

BOUDROT; on Dec. 9 at 7 Channing St., Newton, Jeffrey Boudrot, age 68 yrs.

ANDERSON; on Dec. 10 at 60 Derby St., Mrs. Christine Anderson, age 64 yrs.

McGILLVEARY; on Dec. 10 at 5 Peabody St., Newton, Mrs. Ellen Mc Gillveary, age 79 yrs.

FALL; on Dec. 13 at 149 Galen St., Newton; Mrs. Elizabeth Fall.

LILL; on Dec. 16 at 9 Lill avenue, West Newton, Francis J. Lill.

BILLINGS—In Newtonville, December 17, Abbie Partridge, age 92 yrs., widow of James D. Billings. Funeral services at her late residence, 200 Walnut St., Newtonville, Sunday, December 19 at 2 P. M.

Good Advice.

Do not let the empty cup be your first teacher of the blessings you had when it was full. . . . Seek as a plain duty to cultivate a buoyant, joyous sense of the crowded kindnesses of God in your daily life.—Alexander Maclaren

Push 'Em Both.

"Hit ain' what a man talks about git him whar he gwine," said Charcoal Eph, ruminatively. "Yo' all jes' nachelly got t' push one foot out in front o' t'other or git stepped on by Hard Luck."—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

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NEW TERMINAL

Chestnut Hill residents who are interested in securing a new terminal station at Lake Street and Commonwealth Avenue, at the point where the Boston Elevated line ends and connects for various points in Newton with the Middlesex and Boston system, met on Monday evening at the Commonwealth Country Club when definite plans were considered for the proposed new station. These were presented by George J. Martin, chairman of a special committee from the Newton Chamber of Commerce, recently appointed to take up the matter of new terminal facilities with the street railway corporations. H. C. Hartwell of the engineering staff of the Elevated was present to explain the plans in detail, after which there was a general discussion, one of the plans submitted was unanimously approved, and Mr. Martin was authorized to represent the citizens of that section as well as the Chamber in his further negotiations with the street railway officials.

The approved plan provides for a large and conveniently arranged terminal station just north of Commonwealth Avenue, on the location now used by the Elevated system for the storage of cars when not in use. Similar to the system now in effect at Dudley Street, Sullivan Square, and other terminals, the Elevated cars would enter the proposed station on one side and, after making the loop in the rear, would return and make their exit, for the return trip to Boston, on the other side of the station. Between the tracks there is a large, well-covered platform, while immediately adjacent to the platform will be a large enclosed waiting room, heated and equipped with all of the usual comforts and facilities now available in other terminals of this type on the Elevated system.

Provision is made for the Middlesex and Boston cars to enter and leave the terminal on the proposed loop and it will be possible to transfer from one line to the other without exposure to the weather or being threatened with injury from the heavy traffic on Commonwealth avenue. The plan also makes the necessary provisions for accommodating the buses now operated to and from this point by both roads.

The estimated cost of the proposed improvements is $48,000, of which it is proposed that the Elevated System shall pay $32,000 and that the remaining $16,000 shall be provided by the Middlesex and Boston line.

BIRTHS

VISCO; on November 25 to Mr. and Mrs. Nunzio Visco, 258 Nevada street, Newtonville, a daughter.

DeANGELIS; on Nov. 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Giuseppe DeAngelis, 221 Adams street, Newton, a son.

BOURNE; on Nov. 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bourne, 135 Allen avenue, Waban, a son.

BRACELAND; on Dec. 4 to Mr. and Mrs. George Braceland, 19 Chandler place, Upper Falls, a daughter.

McBARRON; on Dec. 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Edward McBarron, 36 Aberdeen street, Newton Highlands, a son.

DeMICHAELE; on Dec. 6 to Mr. and Mrs. Henry DeMichaele, 16 Sullivan aveue, Upper Falls, a daughter.

COLLINS; on Dec. 7 to Mr. and Mrs. John J. Collins, 16 Lincoln street, Newton Highlands, a son.

VanTASSEL; on Nov. 28 to Mr. and Mrs. James H. Van Tassel, 418 Watertown street, a daughter.

HALLIDAY; on Dec. 2 to Mr. and Mrs. William T. Halliday, 34 Bradford street, Newton Highlands, a son.

PARSONS; on Dec. 3 to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Parsons, 22 Lewis street, Newton, a daughter.

MUNROE; on Dec. 3 to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Munroe, 24 Lagrange street, Oak Hill, a daughter.

RHEA; on November 30 to Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Rhea, 145 Lexington street, West Newton, a daughter.

STEIN; on November 30 to Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Stein, 1115 Commonwealth avenue, Newton Centre, a daughter.

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Newton Upper Falls

—A son has been born to Mrs. Charles Batey of High St.

—Mr. George Corey and family of Hale street are moving to a new residence in Newton Highlands.

—The Knights of Columbus will hold a whist party at St. Mary's Church Hall on Friday evening.

—The monthly meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society was held Monday at Mrs. Percy Marden's home on Chestnut street.

—Rev. H. L. Wriston of Somerville will preach next Sunday morning at the Methodist church. In the evening the senior and junior choirs will give the pageant "The Nativity."

—Members of the Daughters of St. George of this village, enjoyed the Christmas party provided for their children at Odd Fellows Hall last Wednesday evening. Santa was there to dispense toys and an excellent entertainment was provided.

—The Epworth League of the Methodist Church will have their Christmas Tree at Parish Hall on next Monday evening. The Sunday School will have one on the following Thursday and on the following Thursday, and the Christmas social for the kiddies willb be provided for them on Friday afternoon.

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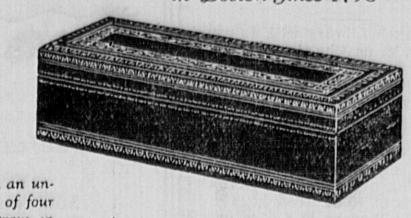
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KIWANIS CLUB

Members of the Waltham Kiwanis Club joined with the Newton Kiwanis Club at the weekly meeting of the latter on Tuesday. Present as guests were the wives and daughters of many of the members of both clubs. Rev. Earl Harper of the Newton Kiwanis provided an excellent program. Through the courtesy of Mr. Guy Winslow, the Lasell Seminary Glee Club and Orchestra participated. The concert opened with an excellent rendition by the orchestra of "Twinkling Stars" by Odell. Miss Mary E. Keim conducted efficiently, and the accompanist was Miss Gwendolyn McDonald. The second number was a trumpet solo, "The Lost Chord" by Mr. Cleon E. Hopkins. Mr. Hopkins made a decided hit and was forced to favor with encores on this and his second number, "The Lily." The Lasell Seminary Glee Club, under the direction of petite Miss Janette Smock, presented a charming picture in their white costumes, and the vocal proficiency of the girls was on a par with their attractiveness. They first sang three Polish Christmas Carols—"When the Saviour Christ Was Born", "Sleep Thou My Jewel", and "Hark Bethlehem." An instrumental trio "Told at Twilight" was well rendered by Mary Keim, violin, Henrietta Goodwin, cello, and Gwendolyn McDonald, piano. Harold Schwab, pianist of the Kiwanis Club played "Concert Etude" by Dennee with his usual excellence, and Saint-Saens "Benedictus" from the "Christmas Oratorio" was effectively sung by Mrs. Clara Lieber Harper, soprano, and James E. Houghton, baritone. A trio from this same oratorio was sung by Mrs. Harper, Mr. Houghton and Mr. Arthur O. Welcome, tenor. The concluding numbers on the program were given by the Lasell Seminary Glee Club, which sang "See the Dawn from Heaven" by Marshall, and "Jesus Is Come" by Burdett. Miss Harriet Ferris accompanied the Glee Club.

The Kiwanians tendered a rising vote of thanks to all who had assisted in the concert and to Rev. Earl Harper for obtaining the talent. At the next meeting of the Club on Tuesday, a Christmas Tree will be enjoyed.

FIRE RECORD

A still alarm was telephoned at 5.30 Tuesday for a chimney fire in the house at 35 Henshaw street, West Newton, occupied by Patrick Green.

Last Friday evening Box 15 was for a fire in a Reo truck parked at the rear of 238 Washington street. The truck was owned by Harry Hawkins and Sons.

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—Mr. F. S. Smith of Ashton Park, left this week for Wilmington, Delaware.

—Miss Katharine Lotz of Lake avenue is home from Mt. Holyoke for the holidays.

—John C. McCullough has been awarded his letter for football at Exeter Academy.

—Last Friday Gardner Biscoe of Boylston St., celebrated his 7th birthday with a party.

—Ward street, from Hammond street, going northeasterly, will be made a one-way street.

—Mrs. Jessie Fitch of Furber Lane returned Tuesday from a visit to her sister in Cleveland, Ohio.

—Miss Eleanor Phillips of Knox College, Illinois, will spend Christmas at her home on Oxford Rd.

—Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Green of Dudley Rd., left last week for a two months' vacation in Europe.

—The Bible School of the First Church will have a vesper service next Sunday afternoon at four o'clock.

—Mrs. Ellis Spear, Jr., of Bishopgate Rd., entertained her Auction Bridge Club at luncheon on Wednesday.

—Mrs. Albert R. Speare of Warren St., entertained the Flower Chapter of the Methodist Church at dinner on Tuesday evening.

—On Tuesday evening, all the Newton Trust Companies held their annual dinner and dance at The Braeburn Country Club.

—Mrs. Alden Gould and young son from Virginia, are spending the winter with Mrs. Gould's mother, Mrs. A. F. Merriam of Coleman road.

—John F. Bell of this village is on the honor list this term at Phillips Exeter Academy and was also awarded a Campbell scholarship of $400.

—The kindergarten and primary of the First Church held a Christmas party yesterday afternoon. The Junior department has its party tomorrow afternoon.

—Mr. Matt B. Jones has presented Dartmouth College with a portrait of Col. Sir John Kaye, who was an ancestor of the Earl of Dartmouth, for whom the college was named.

—The Newton Centre Improvement Association has petitioned for a change in the set back of the sidewalk on the easterly side of Centre street between Beacon street and Langley road.

—The first social ensemble of the pupils of Gertrude Bowes Peabody was held last Saturday afternoon at her residence, 148 Elgin St. Among other pupils were Catherine Thompson of Newton Highlands, and George Bennett of Newton Upper Falls. The latter received the first prize of the season offered by Mrs. Peabody to the pupil making the best progress during the month of November.

—There was an enjoyable meeting of the Friendship Club on Sunday afternoon in the chapel of the First Church. Miss Gwan Fang Li of Shanghai, China, spoke and Miss Jeanne Poole of London, England, sang several selections. Mrs. A. E. Bloom as chief hostess, was assisted by Mrs. J. J. Harman, Mrs. Edwin Harris, Mrs. James Watson, Mrs. William Doten, Mrs. George E. Hill, Mrs. Ernest Boyd.

NEWTON 25 YEARS AGO

From the Graphic of Dec. 20, 1901

Musical programs for Christmas Sunday in many of the churches.

Aldermen debate amendment to street ordinance and increase of police force.

William H. Emerson, Newtonville expressman, injured in dispute over ownership of C. O. D. package by Michael Shanahan, Newtonville milkman.

Newton Federation of Women's Club holds anual reception in Temple Hall.

Rev. Morgan Millar preaches his first sermon in Newton Centre Unitarian church.

Alderman Alonzo R. Weed slated to be president of incoming board of aldermen.

THE SECOND CHURCH
WEST NEWTON

10.30 A. M. Morning Worship
Dr. J. Edgar Park will preach

4 P. M. Choral Vesper Service

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West Newton

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—The Branch Library will, as usual, close at 6 P. M. on Christmas Eve.

—Friends of Mrs. Ellery Peabody will sympathize with her on account of a broken leg.

—Mr. Arthur C. Dunmore is a vice president in the new firm of Stone & Webster & Blodget, Inc.

—Mr. Henry Whitmore was a speaker at the meeting this week of the Massachusetts Assessors.

—John McDonald has applied for a permit to store 1,000 gallons of gasoline at 13 Border street.

—Window Shades and Storm Windows. Westin Brothers, 16 Centre Place. Tel. N .N. 4167. Advertisement

—The first Choral Vesper service for the season at the Second Church will be held next Sunday at 4 o'clock.

—A party will be held for the children and mothers of the Church school at the Methodist Parsonage, Tuesday afternoon, December 21.

—Mrs. Florence I. Young of Warwick Road, was one of the prize winners in the picture title contest of the Boston Radio Exposition.

—Mrs. Effie Rice of Adena road, collapsed in the South Station last night. She was taken to the Haymarket Relief Hospital, where she was said to be suffering from a cerebral hemorrhage.

—The Christmas party, at the Second church, will be held on Thursday afternoon for the younger children, and in the evening, after the Community Christmas tree, for the older pupils of the Church school.

—Hon. Courtney Crocker was the guest and speaker at the monthly meeting of the Men's Club of West Newton held last evening in the Unitarian Parish House. Mr. Crocker gave an interesting talk on "Siam."

—Three West Newton lads are placed in the second honor group at Phillips Exeter this term. They are Carl E. Pickhardt, Jr., of the senior class, Charles E. Benson, Jr., of the upper middle class, and Bradford K. Bachrach of the lower middle class. In addition Bachrach received honors in French.

—A dramatization of "The Vision of Sir Launfal," James Russell Lowell's poem, will be given in Trinity Church next Sunday evening, at 7.15 o'clock, by the young people of the parish. The poem will be read by two members, and will be acted out in pantomime by other members. The scholars of the Church School will bring to this service Christmas gifts which will be ent to the children of a mission school near Boston.

—The preacher at the Second Church next Sunday will be Dr. J. Edgar Park, President of Wheaton College, and formerly minister of the Church. The service will begin at 10.30 A. M. with a prelude of traditional and modern Christmas carols sung by all the choirs. A Christmas Choral Vesper Service will be held in the church on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. "The Message of Christmas" will be sung and the "Festival of Lights" will be celebrated. In the evening at 7.30, Dr. Park's story "The Man Who Missed Christmas" will be read at the meeting of the Opportunity Club to which all are cordially invited.

COMMUNITY THEATER

Florence Vidor and Ricardo Cortez open a four days' engagement at the Community Theatre starting Sunday night, Dec. 19, in "The Eagle of the Sea."

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REAL ESTATE

John T. Burns & Sons report the sale of No. 5 Pine Crest Road, corner of Berwick Road, Newton Centre, to Charles Everett Beane. The property consists of a new brick and frame Dutch colonial residence of eight rooms and two baths, with garage, and corner lot of about 10,000 sq. ft., all valued at $21,000. McAuslan & Nutting represented the grantor, Mr. Clarence Boyce.

Mrs. Maud A. Kilbourne has sold, through the Burns agency, her single frame house, garage, and about 8,000 sq. ft. of land situated at No. 66 Commonwealth Park, Newton Centre. Mr. George W. McCabe purchased the property, which is valued at $15,000.

Burns and Sons also report that papers have gone to record whereby William H. Rogers conveys to William F. Hardy of Watertown the lot of land situated on the corner of Page Road and Walker street, Newtonville, containing about 9,000 sq. ft., valued at $3,000. Mr. Hardy plans to erect a home for his own occupancy.

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Central Church
NEWTONVILLE

9.45 A. M. Regular departments of the Church School.

11 A. M. **Dr. Ellis** will preach.

Newtonville

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—The Branch Library will, as usual, close at 6 P. M. on Christmas Eve.

—The annual holiday party and children's entertainment of the New Church will be held on December 31st.

—Call H. A. McDonnell, 6 Highland terrace, Newtonville, (Newton North 4674) for anything in the carpenter line. —Advertisement.

—Mrs. Irving O. Palmer of The Colonna is leaving Monday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Bodfish, of Springfield, Mass.

—On Christmas Eve the young people of the New Church will hold a Christmas party after which they will sing Christmas carols in different parts of the city.

—Mrs. William T. Rich and Miss Sophronia B. Rich were the hostesses at the meeting Thursday afternoon of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church.

—George Eddy of Yale and Miss Frances Eddy of Dobbs Ferry are spending the Christmas vacation with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. D. Brewer Eddy of Kirkstall Rd.

—On next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock there will be a special Candle-Light service in the Universalist Church. The quartet will be assisted by a chorus and violinist.

Auburndale

—Do not buy Health Seals from children.

—Mr. Leigh Porter has moved into the Fowle house on Ash street.

—The Branch Library will, as usual, close at 6 P. M. on Christmas Eve.

—There will be an informal dancing party in the Auburndale club hall tomorrow evening.

—The Woman's Association of the Congregational Church met on Wednesday afternoon.

—Mr. J. A. Dills of Waltham has purchased and will occupy the house 180 Melrose street.

The Congregational church will have a vesper service next Sunday afternoon at four o'clock.

—Louis DeRusso has applied for a permit to have three pool tables at 438 Lexington street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barter of Waltham are occupying the Hanney house on Melrose street.

—The Children's Christmas party of the Church of the Messiah will take place next Friday afternoon.

—The Centenary Church will hold a special Christmas service next Sunday evening and will have a parish party next Thursday night.

—Mrs. George Bourne of Woodbine street has sold her house and leaves in two weeks for Florida, where she will spend the Winter with her daughter, Gertrude.

—Mr. Waldo W. Cole, for more than thirty years director of music at the Congregational Church, has resigned his position, the resignation to take effect February 1st.

—A petition has been received by the Aldermen asking that the land bounded by Washington and Gates streets, and the Brae Burn Country Club, be changed from private to single residence zone.

—The Congregational Church school held its Christmas party on Wednesday evening. The smaller children are having their party this afternoon and the Young People's Department hold asocial evening tonight.

—Thursday night, Dec. 23, at 7.00 P. M., the Christmas Parish Night will be observed at Centenary Church. An elaborate operatta "The Spirit of Christmas" will be presented. There will be a Christmas tree, presents, refreshments, etc.

—Harland P. Sisk of Woodbine street has been elected to the Tau Beta Pi society, senior honor society of Mass. Institute of Technology. The honor is awarded to the thirteen men of the highest scholastic rank during the four years' course, who are also in the best social standing among their fellow students. As Mr. Sisk is only twenty years old and entered Tech directly from the Newton High School four years' course, we feel that Newton should be proud of the young man and our high school.

—A most successful parish bazaar was held in the parish house of the Church of the Messiah on Saturday afternoon and evening. Miss Eleanor D. Adams was general chairman in charge and the sub-chairmen were: Fancy work, Mrs. J. G. Helbeck and Mrs. Robert D. Watters; household, Mrs. G. L. Severy; food, Mrs. George W. St. Amant; supper, Mrs. Carl H. Shipman; candy, Miss Adeline Hall; handkerchiefs, Miss Lillian Scott; men's table, William Coulson; side shows, Ray C Smith; ice cream, C. C. Wilson; Christmas cards, Mrs. F. V. Burton.

MRS. ABBIE PARTRIDGE BILLINGS

Mrs. Abbie P. Billings, widow of the late James D. Billings, died this morning at her late home, 200 Walnut St. She was born 92 years ago in Paris, Maine, and had been a resident of this city for 60 years. She is survived by one son, S. Kendall Billings, a grandson, Harold Billings, and one sister, Mrs. Maxim, all of Newtonville. Her funeral will be held from her late home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Newton Cemetery.

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Tuesday evening at the Hunnewell Club 60 business and professional men of the Newton Corner section met to enjoy a dinner provided by Caterer Andrew J. Schwer of Paxton's, and to organize. Following the dinner, Harold Moore presided as Chairman and told of the purposes of the new organization. Albert Walker of the Brackett Coal Company read the minutes of the previous meetings and also the Constitution and By-Laws which had been drawn up by the committee appointed for that purpose. These were accepted as read. Mr. Moore called on John C. Brimblecom of the GRAPHIC who told of the old Board of Trade which formerly functioned for the benefit of Newton Corner business men. John T. Burns urged those present to persevere in their efforts to further their interests though the medium of the organization.

Mr. Brimblecom offered a $25 prize for the best decorated store window during Christmas week, and Mr. Clement Hernandez, Treasurer of NEWTON PROGRESS donated a second prize of $15. Andrew J. Ford stated that a local organization is needed to promote better feeling among Newtin Corner business men. He urged Newton merchants to take advantage of the facilities afforded by the Credit Bureau of the Newton Chamber of Commerce. Alderman Walter Hodgdon told the assemblage that the Newton aldermen are always ready to listen to and act favorably upon reasonable demands made by business men. Several of these present urged that a buss line be started along Centre street to give communication with the South Side of the city, and that traffic conditions at Newton Corner be improved to permit better parking facilities at this locality. Mr. Moore lauded the efforts of the management of the Newton Public Market to boost Newton Corner as a shopping centre. A committee was appointed to bring in nominatians for officers of the Associates.

DEATHS

DAVIS; on Dec. 16 at 44 Gammons St., Newton Hlds., Mrs. Mary D. Davis, age 67 yrs.

NICKERSON; on Dec. 15 at 87 Highland St., West Newton, Mrs. Kate M. Nickerson, age 84 yrs.

SPROAT; on Dec. 12 at 14 Thornton St., Newton, Mrs. Delia Sproat, age 52 yrs.

WEST; on Dec. 13 at 115 Waban Park, Newton, Mrs. Bertha West, age 43 yrs.

CHIROS; on Dec. 11 at 52 Mechanic St., Upper Falls, Ignance Chiros, age 39 yrs.

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SCHOOL NOTES

Frank A. Day High School

The Assembly, held on Wednesday of this week, was in charge of Miss Kittner. The program was varied and interesting from many standpoints. There was a picture, The Turn in the Road, which was propaganda for clean milk. Sabra Erickson and Elinor Thompson played a duet which brought pictures of Santa Clause and the jingle of his reindeer to mind. The "piece de resistance," however, was a play entitled "Santa Claus Baby. The play, which was in one act, was written by the father of our own Judith and Charlotte Andress—J. Mace Andress, the author of so many delightful health books for children. The play is concerned with Santa and his worry over his baby who is very sickly. The children to whom he has brought gifts offer advice about how Mary Santa Claus can improve her health. With each bit of advice they proffer a gift for the baby. The result is that Santa returns to the North Pole with his kit laden with eggs, milk, vegetables, graham bread and other necessary ingredients for red cheeks.

The cast was made up of Rena La Blanc, Alys Hayford, Nina Keppler, Mary Howe, Dora Muncini, Eunice Lanno, Esther Klegman, Frances Tocci, Ruth Bergen and Anna Caron. Honors for the performance go to Santa Claus. The part was played by Rosetta Littlefield. Her perfect ease on the stage was a thing which many more experienced in the footlight art could well copy.

Santa Claus brought presents to children who were awaiting his arrival after they had finished trimming the tree. As Santa delved into the bag to find each gift, he had a few appropriate words to say. These remarks were original with Rosetta, so her performance was naturally given a touch of local color.

And so it goes—in the words of Santa himself—"A Merry Christmas to all."

Stearns School

On Wednesday evening at 8 P. M., the Stearns School Playground and Center will celebrate Christmas. "Christmas in Other Lands" is being practised intensively by an afternoon class. Older girls will give "Christmas Eve" by Constance Mackay. The music will be, singing by the older girls, a violin, and clarinet solo. The evening will close with Tableaux of the first Christmas. This evening entertainment is not for the children. There is no charge for admission but tickets will be given out.

Calendar of Christmas Parties:
N. J. J.—Friday, Dec. 17th
Mothers' Club—Monday, Dec. 20th
Colonna Club—Tuesday, Dec. 21st
Senior Girls—Tuesday, Dec. 21st

Bigelow School

The Christmas spirit was in the air at Bigelow this week. The assembly program began with the singing of Christmas carols in which the entire school heartily joined. This was followed by a play given by the Dramatic Club entitled "The Joyous Christmas Gift." All the parts were well taken, each actor representing a country. The costumes were very colorful, especially that of the Spanish dancer, Madeleine Dunne.

The highest attendance for November was recorded for Miss Dyers and Miss Hamilton's divisions: a tie—each averaging 98.9%.

Franklin School

At recess time the little folks at he Franklin School are busily engaged in making strange snow elves. The playground is quickly transformed into a miniature snow village.

Miss Bradley's room had only four absences for the month of November. They are trying hard to maintain this high record.

The fourth grade is working hard to make their Christmas Play a success. The boys are making their own costumes.

Mr. Monahan, the genial policeman in front of the school, starts on his vacation this week. The entire school wish him the best of holidays and a Merry Christmas.

Miss Reed's room is being congratulated on its high attainment in the medical inspection.

Lasell

With generous enthusiasm the Lasell girls as usual have shown the Christmas spirit by remembering several nearby missions and sending their gifts as far away as Alaska. At the Christmas chapel service the stage resembled a small sized bazaar. The happy donors later skillfully packed the boxes and are bound to have a merrier Christmas because of their generous giving.

The Lasell Glee Club and orchestra gave several numbers before the Kiwanis Club and their guests on December 14 at the Auburndale Club House.

The Christmas vacation extends from December 15 to January 5.

D. A. R.

The Lydia Partridge Whiting chapter D. A. R. held a Christmas party Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Scott Emery, Randolph St., Newton Highlands. An appropriate literary and musical program, furnished by students from Emerson College, was followed by the distribution of gifts. Mrs. Richard Cody presided over the dining-room. The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. Cody, Mrs. Emery, Mrs. Wilmot Brown and Mrs. Chester Tudbury.

ALUMNI DAY

The Newton High School authorities and some of the High School Alumni are planning to hold an Alumni Day at the Newton High School, and have selected Wednesday, December 29th. The program includes a social hour from 5.30 to 6.30 P. M., followed by a dinner in the new cafeteria. There will be special features in the auditorium and dancing later in the new gymnasium.

Waban

—The Branch Library will, as usual, close at 6 P. M. on Christmas Eve.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Woods of Moffat Road, entertained their bridge club on Thursday evening.

—Mrs. Frank L. Miller of Chestnut street, is to entertain her luncheon bridge club on Monday next.

—Mrs. Salsich of Hartland, Wisconsin, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Cyrus Y. Ferris of Kent Road.

—Mr. P. L. Warren is a vice president and a director in the new firm of Stone & Webster & Blodget, Inc.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Richardson and little daughter, are spending the winter in St. Petersburg, Florida.

—Mrs. Harry N. Matthews of Carlton road, entertained her luncheon bridge club on Friday of this week.

—Hon. Sanford Bates was the speaker last Sunday at the Laymen's service in the South Church at Portsmouth, N. H.

—Miss Nancy P. Kimball returned on Thursday from Abbot Academy to her home on Pilgrim Road, for a three weeks' vacation.

—Mr. John Andrews of Amherst College and Miss Helen Andrews of Vassar, are at their home on Nehoiden road for the Christmas holidays.

—Mrs. Elizabeth M. Cushing of Pilgrim Road, has been spending the past week with her niece, Mrs. Samuel L. Ware in North Abington.

—Mr. and Mr.s James R. Emmett of Windsor Road, entertained the "East and West Club" on Tuesday evening at dinner, followed by bridge.

—In the Parish House of the Church of the Good Shepherd on Wednesday evening, Mrs. Helen Talboy gave a very impressive presentation of the case for the League of Nations.

—Mrs. Edward C. Street, formerly of Waban, will have the sympathy of her many friends here in the recent death of her husband. Mrs. Street is now with a sister in Elkins Park, Penn.

—Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Conway of Windsor Road, have issued invitations for a dance at the Somerset on next Thursday evening when their second daughter, Miss Janet Conway, will be presented to society.

—In connection with the service of the Union Church to be held at the Neighborhood Club House at 11 o'clock next Sunday morning, there willb be special Christmas music, rendered by a double quartet, as well as violin solos.

—The prize cookie sellers of the Waban troup of Girl Scouts proved to be Elanor Dunham, Edith Wheaton, Louise Came, Doris Banckman, Doris Linscott and Annie Arnold. Capt. Mosser is planning to take these girls on a theatre party to reward them for their good work.

—The recent death in Pasadena, California, of Dr. Andrew Archibald will be a cause of sadness to many Waban people who remember him as one of the early pastors of the Union Church, and the one who was really responsible for the erection of the present structure.

—Mrs. Harry J. Klotz, Waban Chairman of the Christmas Health Seal Drive, announces that the sale of seals up to Wednesday night amounted to $631.35. Mrs. Klotz urges those who have not paid for their seals to do so promptly that Waban may at least reach the mark of $800 obtained last year. Our quota for this year is $900.

—Robert S. Allingham, sophomore at DePauw University and son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Allingham, recently acted the leading part in a play presented at the University. The play was staged by DePauw's dramatic fraternity, Duzer Du, which has elected Allingham to its membership. Before coming to DePauw, Allingham made a name for himself in local stage productions. The Boston Theatre Guild selected him for parts in a number of its presentations. Allingham is a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity.

ROTARY CLUB

At the usual weekly luncheon at the Woodland Golf Club last Monday members of the Newton Rotary club heard President L. W. Hodgkins, of the Cambridge Rotary Club, give a most instructive lecture on the classification feature of Rotary.

Secretary Benjamin G. Rae, who won the recent golf tournament, was presented with a handsome silver tray.

NEWTON WATER

On account of the contemplated work on the water supply Commissioner Whitney closed down the pumping station last Sunday morning, and the city is now using water from the Metropolitan system.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS

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should work together for the good of humanity.

Tea was served after the address, with Mrs. Edgar W. Hodgson and Mrs. William J. Tyler presiding at the attractively-decorated table.

Miss Margaret S. Ball, chairman of the Conservation Committee, had on view samples of lovely Christmas wreaths and greens which did not contain the forbidden laurel or ground pine.

Juniors of the West Newton Women's Educational Club

The Juniors of the West Newton Women's Educational Club held their third meeting last Monday evening, the 13th, at the home of Mrs. B. Howard Lester, 133 Bigelow road, West Newton. Mrs. Fred M. Blanchard, president of the Senior Club, was the guest of honor. They entertained the Juniors of the Auburndale Woman's Club.

Mrs. Otis Drayton, State Federation Chairman of Music, was the speaker. She told them what the Women's Clubs had done in connection with music and what they have planned for the future. She also told them of music programs which they could have for their meetings. Miss Leora Bacon, president of the West Newton Juniors, sang two songs. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. The rest of the evening was spent in getting acquainted with one another.

Auburndale Woman's Club

The Reception to the teachers by the Auburndale Woman's Club, on the 14th, was a delightful affair. The Education Committee, Mrs. Hector R. Gai, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Stephen Wright, president of the club, acted as a committee to receive the guests. All gathered in the auditorium to see "The Wandering Child," with the following cast: Master Beckett Jones, Master David Ordway, Miss Jean MacNaught, Mrs. Ralph E. Keyes, Mr. Walter R. Amesbury, "Himself," Officer Cronin.

As an introduction Miss Helen Shepard sang a Christmas Carol, accompanied on the piano by Miss Ruth Woodbury.

"The Wandering Child" is a charming little one-act play, with all the winsome appeal of children and Christmas. The parts were very well taken and all praise is given Miss Mary R. Davidson who wrote the play;—which was awarded third prize, in a county-wide contest, at the Atlantic City Biennial—and trained the cast.

Following the entertainment a real social hour was enjoyed by all. The little folks, and there were many who came to see their friends do their parts, had their party in the upper Club room, while the grown-ups had tea in the lounge.

COMING EVENTS

Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands

Mrs. C. H. Keeler is hostess for the Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands, 36 Oak Terrace, for their meeting of Saturday, December 18th. Attention is called to this date, because an amusing typographical error last week, while complimentary to Mrs. Keeler as a cordial hostess, might make for her **embarrassment,** if taken literally. The Club has finished the reading of "Othello," and a review by Quiz to prove how much of this is remembered, and how greatly it has been appreciated in all its fine—or otherwise—points will be led by Mrs. H. W. Drew.

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Newtonville Woman's Club

On the afternoon of Tuesday, December 21st at 2.30 o'clock, the Newtonville Woman's Club will hold its annual Christmas Party, to which fifty deserving children have been asked. Mr. George E. Shattuck, member of the History Department of the Newton High School, will entertain the children, telling, by means of pictures, the "travels of the three fir trees and the two little wayfarers" in their quest of Santa Claus.

Many Clubwomen will be glad to hear that the Newtonville Woman's Club announces an interesting series of four current events lectures by Mrs. Grace Morrison Poole of Brockton. Mrs. Poole, who is Recording Secretary of the General Federation of Women's Clubs,—and who may become its first vice-president,—has a wide reputation as a lecturer on current events. Her summer in Europe has provided her with material that promises to be of special interest to those who are fortunate enough to hear her. Mrs. Poole's four lectures in Newtonville, which are open to the public, will be given at 2.30 P. M., in the Central Congregational Church, Walnut Street, on December 29th, January 31st, February 23rd, and March 30th. Tickets for the course at $1.50 each, or for each separate lecture at fifty cents each, may be obtained at the door on December 29th.

Newton Highlands C. L. S. C.

"American Individualism," by Herbert Hoover, will be the paper to be read by Mrs. Hiram A. Miller, with its attendant discussion, questions, and comments, which make a most delightfully entertaining and informal affair of the meeting of the C. L. S. C. of Newton Highlands, on the afternoon of December 27th. The hostess for the day is Mrs. William E. Leonard, of 25 Canterbury road.

Auburndale Review Club

On Tuesday, Dec. 28th, the club will meet at 10 A. M. with Mrs. Wicklyffe J. Spaulding at 429 Wolcott street. Mrs. Spaulding will pilot them on a trip thru the Yosemite. The club has already travelled thru Montana, Wyoming and Utah. Music will add to the enjoyment of the morning.

STATE FEDERATION

MUSIC. Mrs. F. Otis Drayton, State chairman of music, recommends that one of Christmas' messages may be to the Clubs to encourage Children's Days, not only at this season, but throughout the year, with the singing of carols by the little tots, or the Boys' Glee Club, or the Girl Scout Chorus in this and other music. Certainly inspiration and encouragement could be given to these young people who are eager to sing, by having them do so at Club meetings. As Mrs. Drayton points out, too,—like many another good deed that brings unexpected reward—the Club women might discover talent and fine work that would amaze them.

Mrs. Drayton also offers another excellent suggestion for the encouragement of appreciation of good music that may not occur to many, and that will solve their Christmas gift much more delightfully than they have thought possible, while puzzling over just the "right thing" for some cherished friend. "How about sending that book of songs, to one of your little friends, or that book of musical games? How about that phonograph record of something especially fine, or that pair of Symphony or concert tickets that you know one of your friends would enjoy?

"All seasons of the year our veterans in the hospitals want music and more music. Can you not plan something from your Club for them?

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She appeals, too, for the wonderful custom of singing of Christmas Carols to be carried forward as never before, and her mention of the "shut-in" Club members who could be so delightfully entertained makes one realize what a rare and kindly opportunity is here given for that expression of friendship and thoughtfulness that could warm the heart, perhaps make the eyes sting a bit with happy tears, in our remembrance of one who is of us, but can not share in our Club meetings.

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December 18 Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands
December 21 Newtonville Woman's Club
December 27 Newton Highlands C. L. S. C.
December 28 Auburndale Review Club
December 29 Newton Centre Woman's Club, Young People's Holiday Assembly,
December 29 Social Science Club
December 30 Newton Centre Woman's Club
December 30 Auburndale Woman's Club
January 3 Christian Era Study Club
January 3 Waban Woman's Club
January 3 Newton Upper Falls Woman's Club
January 4 Newton Highlands Woman's Club
January 5 Community Service Club of West Newton
January 10 Monday Club of Newton Highlands
January 13 Newton Community Club
January 14 West Newton Women's Educational Club.

HONOR ROLL

The Misses Allen School Honor Roll for the term is as follows: Polly Ballard, Esther Burr, Phyllis Bourne, Edith and Mary Louise Chandler, Pauline Congden, Barbara Crossley, Ann Harrington, Louise Maynard, Virginia Reynolds, and Frances Willing from the various Newtons; also Eunice Garland and Muriel Hoyle of Wellesley Hills; Bernice Barnes of Andover; Louise Gladding of Providence; Ruth Gurnett of Melrose; Helen Lothair of Boston; Esther Hollins of Winchester; Virginia Jones of Boston; Nancy Smith of Waltham; Ann Stone of Belmont; Clara Taft of Brookline; Corinne Thomson of Roxbury, and Mary White of Estherville, Iowa.

The School had its termly dance Saturday with over one hundred present and this Friday a Christmas tree for the house pupils.

W. C. T. U.

The Christmas Party of the West Newton W. C. T. U. will be Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Sarah Hovenden on Austin street, Newtonville. Each member is expected to bring a twenty-five cent gift. Mrs. Hovenden will be assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Ella Hall.

—Don't forget the donation for the Flower Mission.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

The date has been set for the Annual Winter Rally which is to be in the West Newton Armory, Wednesday evening, February 9th. The program will be much the same as last year's Rally with some added features that have not been heretofore possible on account of limited space. In addition to the regular review there will be inspection by prominent city and Scout officials and demonstrations by the various troops as well as inter-troop contests. Scouts should impress upon their parents and friends the necessity of keeping this date free for the Rally and getting there in plenty of time to get a good seat. Tickets will be distributed early in January.

It is expected that another swimming meet will be held the last of January with much the same program as the last one except the elimination of the underwater swim.

Some applications have been received for the new board of examiners but several more are needed. An intimate knowledge of scouting is not needed for this duty but more a willingness to learn a certain amount of First Aid or Signaling or both. Men interested should get in touch with the Scout Executive at 291 Dorset Road, Waban, Telephone Centre Newton 2968-J.

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The characters are the sort of people which make up your neighborhood today. Each story leaves the reader in a mellow mood, chuckling, and somewhat thoughtful. Read aloud their beauty and worth are doubly appreciated. Perhaps an outstanding charm lies in the delightful denouement of each story—most surprising and of which no hint is given until it is sprung unexpectedly—or rather one might say unsuspectedly.

The book is published by the Pilgrim Press at $1.00.

Newton

—Miss Helen Spurrier of Smith College is spending the Christmas vacation with her mother, Mrs. W. A. Spurrier of Church street.

—Mrs. John Rackliffe has recovered from her recent illness and has returned from the Faulkner Hospital to her home on Shornecliffe road.

—Miss Avis Trowbridge of Hollis street and Miss Margaret Bascom of Washington street are at home from Mt. Holyoke for the Christmas vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frederick D. Fuller and Mrs. Fuller of the Croydon are leaving next week for Tarrytown, N. Y., where they will spend Christmas with their daughter.

—Mr .and Mrs. Kenneth Martin and daughter of Barnstable and Miss Kate Williams of Walpole, N. H., have been the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Morse of Washington street.

—Miss Charlotte Towle of Mt. Holyoke is leaving tonight with the Glee Club for a Christmas concert tour. The Club will sing at New Haven, New York, Philadelphia and Washington.

—The Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of the Methodist Church met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Dale Brown, Nonantum street. Mrs. Vernon B. Swett read a most interesting paper on Algiers and the Holy Land.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

CALL TO ARMS

For the few days remaining before Christmas we sound a "Call to Arms" to the people to rally to the support of the 19th Annual Christmas Seal Sale. Every package, letter and card carrying the cheery seals with the Christmas carol singers will help the fight against tuberculosis all through the year 1927. It is not asking much to ask that every gift and greeting card carry some Christmas Seals. The seals are not only beautifully decorative this year but they convey an additional message to your loved ones as follows: "While I am preparing this gift or card for you I am thinking also of those who need the gift of health and I am doing what I can to help them."

Little children who need health camp care next summer and adults who need every kind of assistance to get them back to health appeal to you through our organization to buy Christmas Seals generously.

Chairman, Seal Sale Committee.

The results of the sale of Christmas Seals in the various villages of Newton for the third week are as follows:

Newton Centre	$1,019.00
West Newton	935.00
Newtonville	804.50
Newton	689.50
West Newton	477.85
Newton Highlands	475.81
Auburndale	278.50
Chestnut Hill	183.00
Newton Upper Falls	139.75
Newton Lower Falls	22.40
	$5,025.31

NEWTON DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION

Miss Olive Elliot, R. N., has come to Newton to take the place of Miss Elizabeth Ross, as Superintendent of the Newton District Nursing Association. Miss Elliot is a graduate of the Newton Hospital, 1915. After graduation she did private duty in Newton and Norwood for a year, then went to Seattle, Washington, and later to St. Louis, Missouri, where she was Assistant Superintendent of the Training School for Nurses in the Barns Hospital, which is the Hospital of the Washington University Medical School. In 1920 Miss Elliot returned East, and after a year of private duty, was appointed Superintendent of the Norwood Hospital where she remained for three years, leaving to take a year's graduate work at Simmons College in Public Health Nursing. Since her graduation from Simmons Miss Elliot has been doing Rural Red Cross Public Health Nursing in Massachusetts. Miss Elliot is well known to the health workers of Greater Boston and everyone feels that Newton is most fortunate in obtaining Miss Elliot to direct the work of the District Association.

NEWTON HOSPITAL

Week ending Dec. 11:—Patients in hospital 107; patients paying as much as cost of care or more 53; patients paying less than cost of care 25; free patients, including babies 29; patients treated by out patient department 105; patients at eye clinic 12; accident cases 6; babies born 9; social service calls at homes 4; patients transferred in social service car 12.

Dr. George R. Minot, of Boston, spoke before the Newton Medical Club, at its meeting at the hospital Monday evening, on "Diseases of the Blood." The first of the Newton Hospital Clinics will be held at three o'clock Friday afternoon in the out patient department. The clinics will be in charge of Dr. Edward Leonard of Newton Centre, assisted by Dr. H. F. Giddings of Newton Centre. The consultants for the clinics will be Dr. Robert B. Greenough, Dr. F. A. Pemberton, Dr. Granville E. Crabtree, Dr. George R. Minot, Dr. Oliver Lothrop and Dr. Sydney Dalrymple. The clinics will be held every other Friday afternoon at three, and through them the hospital hopes to do good work in the war against cancer, which is to be carried on throughout the state.

At an informal tea at the Nurses' Home on Monday afternoon several of the social and welfare workers of the city met Miss Elizabeth F. Wheeler, of Newton Centre, who is the new medical social worker at the hospital.

The executive committee of the hospital held its regular meeting Wednesday afternoon.

The Newtonville Women's Club, which has made a very substantial gift of jellies to the hospital this week added to those alreay given another fourteen jars. The Club also gave a quantity of old linen.

There seems to be a small epidemic of appendicitis in the city at present. The hospital has had several cases in its care, some of them being serious cases of ruptured appendixes.

The little patients in the children's ward are enjoying very much the ukelele playing of Elizabeth Carey, one of the patients. When Elizabeth plays the children either lie and listen, or join in singing to her accompaniment. One who visits the hospital can not hope noting that the patients in the children's ward always seem to enjoy themselves.

MOTHERS' REST ASSOCIATION

The Mothers' Rest Association of the City of Newton, Inc., furnishes a splendid Home at Oak Hill, Newton Centre, where groups of tired mothers and their children under five years of age are given a wonderful vacation of two weeks without expense and without regard to race, creed or color. In making up these groups places are always open for Newton mothers whenever needed.

A matron, nurse and several helpers make up an efficient household staff. Religious services are held each Sunday at four o'clock in which much interest is shown by the guests.

The pleasures and privileges of the Mothers' Rest were enjoyed this season by 141 mothers and 248 children, representing 15 nationalities.

This fine work is largely supported by membership and is well worth the co-operation of every citizen of Newton. The cost of carrying on is approximately $4500, and the present membership is about 900. It is hoped to increase this to 2,000 members, which with annual dues of $2 each, will more nearly reach the required amount.

CHRISTMAS CLEARING

Once more Christmas is here and with it the Christmas Clearing House, which is a method of preventing duplication in the giving of Christmas dinners by checking up beforehand with a central bureau.

The Newton Central Council, 12 Austin Street, Newtonville, is running the Clearing House this year, as for several past seasons. If you or anyone you know is intending to give Christmas baskets, will you not use the Christmas Clearing House? Call the Council office, Newton North 2717, and find out from their card index whether the family to whom you wish to send a dinner is already to receive one from some one else. Or better still send to the Council office a list of the names of those families to whom you are planning to give.

Last year 88 dinners were released by avoiding duplication in this way, and Christmas was "passed around" to that number of families for whom there would otherwise have been no provision.

WOMAN'S ASSOCIATION MEETS

There were more than seventy-five ladies present on Tuesday afternoon at the meeting of the Home and Foreign Misisonary Societies of the Eliot Woman's Association. At 1.30 sewing and surgical dressing were being done, at 3.00 o'clock a service of worship was conducted by Mrs. C. H. Patton, Mrs. Carl J. Thornquist sang a group of songs and Mrs. H. W. Fitts gave a very interesting talk on "Moslem Education."

Mrs. C. S. Ensign, Jr., read a paper on "Some Interesting Phases of Education Among the Aliens in this Country." Mrs. Ensign spoke especially of the work at Ellis Island. Tea was served with Mrs. Edgar M. Horne as hostess.

CHRISTMAS EVE

Under the auspices of the Men's Club and the Women's Club of Newton Highlands the usual Christmas Eve celebration will be held in front of the Congregational Church of Newton Highlands at seven o'clock, December 24th.

There will be carol singing lead by trumpeters and the usual devotional service. The children of the 7th and 8th grades of the Hyde School will take part.

The committee in charge will provide music sheets, but each villager is asked to bring his own flashlight or candle.

It is hoped that homes will be illuminated in some safe way, and that the whole community will come out to participate in this celebration.

HUNNEWELL CLUB

There was an exceptional program at the Musicale held last Sunday afternoon. The artists, Norma Jean Erdmann, soprano; Elenore Altman, pianist. and Charles Bennett, soloist and accompanist, were at their best and received many deserved encores.

Mr. George Brown, 'cellist, was unable to be present on account of illness and Miss Altman gave a second number and Mr. Bennett became a soloist as well as an accompanist. A social hour followed with Mrs. Frank P. Schofield, Mrs. Henry P. Curtiss, Mrs. Edward O. Loring, and Mrs. Webster as the hostesses.

Plans are under way for an elaborate celebration of New Year's Eve.

Y. M. C. A.

The speaker at the Fellowship Club meeting last Monday was Mr. David Black, Treasurer of the Page & Shaw Candy Company. Mr. Black brought along pieces of candy in the various processes of manufacture which were enjoyed by those present after the talk. Mr. Black not only spoke of the production end of the business, but told about the selling end as well. The speaker next week will be Mr. F. H. Williams of the Purity Ice Company, who will tell the story of manufactured ice. The Fellowship Club meets every Monday at 6.30 and any young man is welcome to attend.

The prizes in the Candle Pin Tournament just finished were won by the following men: John L. Sullivan, high single, with 129; F. H. Tucker, high average of 95; and W. West, high three string with 313. Winners of the first prize: Team 8 composed of T. Rodden, C. Pierce, F. Harwood, S. Thayer, and J. S. Morris. Second Prize to Team 1 composed of W. Allen, S. Morrell, J. Yohannon, P. Forsythe, and C. C. Perry.

Fourteen teams composed of seventy men are bowling in the Boston Pin tournament, which started December 13th.

Arnold Barker, Dr. Leslie Russell, Dr. Cameron Rae, Philip Hardy, Hugh Boyd, Lawrence Trowbridge, and General Secretary H. W. Bascom were delegates to the Fifty-first State Convention held in Boston on December 10th and 11th. Mr. Frederic Fuller, a member of the National Council, and Mr. C. D. Kepner, of the State Committee, were delegates ex-officio. Mr. David Black was Chairman of the Nominating Committee.

It was primarily a young man's Convention, and it is hoped that the younger men of the Association will find their places on the Committees and in the work of the organization more than they have in the past.

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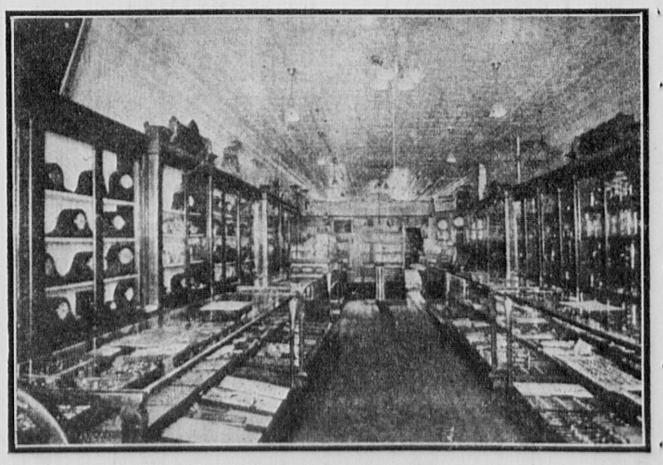
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GIRL SCOUTS

Girl Scout cookie day has come and gone, and the three villages that took part in it, West Newton, Newtonville, and Waban, are slowly recovering from the deluge of orders for 1300 dozen cookies that fell on them that day. Girls from Junior Troops No. 1 and No. 22 in Newtonville, No. 4 in Waban, and No. 5 in West Newton took orders and delivered the cookies, while the members of Senior Troop No. 10 in Newtonville, No. 14 in Waban, and No. 15 in West Newton, mixed, rolled, and baked in stores, the use of which had been donated for the day by Mr. Murray of Newtonville, Mr. Congdon of Waban and the First National Bank of West Newton.

At the last meeting of the Leaders' Course on December 9th an investiture ceremony was held. Three new officers who had completed their tenderfoot test were invested by Miss Caroline Freeman, the Newton Local Director. These new officers are Mrs. C. B. Melaney of Troop No. 18, Auburndale, Miss Edith Monro of Newton Lower Falls, and Mrs. Helen Douglas of Troop No. 4, Waban. The other members of the course who were already scouts, received their certifiicates as certified examiners for tenderfoot work.

The Officers' Association is planning to give a party during the Christmas holidays for former scouts who are now at college. It will probably be held at West Newton on Thursday evening, December 30th. The officers and girls will get together for games and singing, followed by refreshments.

CITY HALL

Mr. Henry Baily, chairman of the board of assessors, was one of the speakers this week at the annual meeting of the Association of Massachusetts Assessors.

Mr. Patrick Fitzsimmons, who has been employed as night watchman at the Newton City Hall for the past eleven years, has been confined to his home at 145 Lexington St., Auburndale, by illness since Thanksgiving Day. His many friends will be glad to know that he is improving rapidly and expects to be up and around again by the first of the year.

CHRISTMAS EVE

Community Christmas Tree services will be held at Farlow Pk., on Christmas Eve, at 5.30 P. M.

The churches will be open at five o'clock with a musical service to 5.30. Each member is requested to bring a candle and to join the procession to the park.

Two cornetists will play at Nonantum Square at 5.15. They will start for the park about 5.25. The different church processions will enter the park at the same time, with lighted candles. Residents of the vicinity of Farlow Park are requested to have lighted candles in their windows at this time.

Many organizations have united, with the city, to make this service a success. Every member of the community is urged to be present, and to join heartily in this Christian service.

MRS. DELIA SPROAT

Mrs. Delia Sproat, wife of William Sproat of 14 Thornton street, died suddenly at her late home Sunday night. Although she had been in poor health for several years, her death was unexpected. She was the daughter of the late John Joyce and had been a life long resident of this city. Besides her husband, she is survived by one brother, John Joyce of Thornton St., and one sister, Mrs. Mary Flanagan of Vernon street. Her funeral was held Wednesday, a solemn requiem mass being celebrated at the Church of Our Lady by Rev. Walter Roche, assisted by Rev. Conrad Quirbach and Rev. Russell Healy. Interment was in Calvary Cemetery, Waltham.

DEATH OF MRS. WEST

The community was saddened last Monday morning by the death of Mrs. Thomas A. West (Bertha Burnham) at her home in Waban Park. Mrs. West was a member of Immanuel Baptist Church and a former president of the Immanuel Women's Association, giving always generously of her time and strength in church work. She had also served as president of the Auxiliary of the Newton Y. M. C. A. The sympathy of her many friends is extended to Mr. West and their daughter, Barbara, also to her father and sister, Mr. Burnham, and Mrs. Webster Anders.

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—Mr. Russell Airth of Airth's express is quite ill at his home in Watertown.

—Mr. E. N. Soulis of Charlesbank road is confined to the house by illness.

—Telephone MacLean, 0725 or 1354-W North, for anything in the carpenter line.—Advertisement.

—As usual the Newton Free Library will close on Christmas Eve., Friday, Dec. 24, at 6 P. M.

—Miss Eleanor Clark, Wheaton '28 was in the cast of the pageant given last Saturday evening.

—Mrs. Harriet T. Ricker, the widow of the late Moses Ricker, died last Saturday at her home on Boyd street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Moore of Church street will celebrate their golden wedding on Sunday, December 26th.

—Mr. George Agry of Syracuse, N. Y., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Agry of Park St.

—The Helpers of the Eliot Sunday School held their first meeting last Friday afternoon with Miss Edith Boothby in charge.

—Mrs. Prescott Warren, having sold her home at 35 Hyde avenue, has moved with her family to the Riverway Apartments, 128 Chestnut St., Boston.

—Mr. David Black of Grasmere street was the speaker at the Men's dinner of the Y. M. C. A. on Monday evening. Mr. Black's subject was "Catering to the Sweet Tooth," and it was a most interesting address.

—Mary A. Greenough has petitioned that the land bounded on the West by Centre street, on the north, east and south by Hollis street, the south end of Hollis sreet, and the house on the corner southeast of Centre and Hollis streets, be changed from private to general residence zone.

—On Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Eliot Church there will be presented a Christmas Pageant, "The First Christmas." This pageant is an adaptation of a quaint old Coventry Mystery play of the Middle Ages. The Junior and Girl's Choirs of the Church will sing at the Pageant.

—Mrs. Ellen McGillveary, who for many years conducted a boarding house on Washington street, died last Friday at her late home, 5 Peabody street. Her funeral was held Sunday, and her remains were taken to her birthplace, Tignish, Prince Edward Island, for interment.

—Edward E. Angier, a former well known resident of this place and the son of the late George and Emma Angier, died last Friday at his home in Bronxville, N. Y., at the age of 61 years. Funeral services were held in the Newton Cemetery on Sunday afternoon. Mr. Angier was a brother of Mr. George Angier and Mrs. Charles F. Painter.



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late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by George H. Fernald who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the sixth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, fourteen days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

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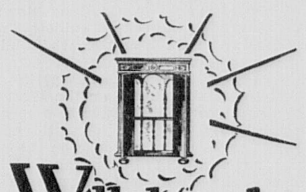
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—Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Wetherbee have taken an apartment at the Hotel Fensgate for the winter.

—Records for Christmas at Newton Music Store. Open evenings 'till Christmas. —Advertisement.

—The meeting on Tuesday of the Eliot Circle was at the home of Mrs. F. Ashley Day on Sargent St.

Jeffrey Boudrot of 7 Channing street, a resident of this city for over 30 years, died at his late residence December 9. His funeral was held Monday. Interment was in Calvary Cemetery.

—Miss Charlotte Towle, of Franklin street, a student at Mount Holyoke College, has been chosen as a member of the carol choir, which is to represent the college in a tour of Hartford, New York, Philadelphia and Washington this Christmas vacation.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Fall, widow of the late William Fall, and a resident of Newton for nearly 50 years, died Tuesday at her late home, 149 Galen street. Her funeral services were held yesterday at St. Patrick's Church, Watertown. She is survived by two sons, Dr. Edward Fall of Newton, and William Fall of Brighton.

—The GRAPHIC has offered a prize of $25 and the Newton Progress a second prize of $15 for the best decorated windows in the business section of Newton Corner during Christmas week. The windows will be viewed by the judges on Wednesday afternoon and the award will be made on the basis of 50% for artistic effect and 50% for attracting business.

—F. Stanley Hallett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Hallett, Garden Road, is on a cruise around the world with 500 students and 50 professors and their wives. His last letters were from Japan. He finds the work very beneficial and the different countries visited most interesting. The "College Afloat" S.S. Ryndham, left New York in September to be gone eight months, visiting thirty different countries before returning.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Men's Club of the Methodist Episcopal Church was held Wednesday evening in the church vestry, the President, Mr. Frank Wing presiding. Supper was served at 6.30 under the chairmanship of Mr. A. L. Babbitt. There was community singing with Mrs. Effie Nagle at the piano and Mr. Elfred Peterson as director. Mr. Charles E. Gates of Boston was the speaker of the evening and his subject was "Crime and its Prevention." There were thirty-five members and guests present.

HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS PLAY

Under the auspices of the Drama Club of the High School, the play "The Prince and The Pauper" will be presented this afternoon and tomorrow night in the auditorium of the new high school. The proceeds will be used to furnish scenery for the new stage. The play, taken from the story by Mark Twain, has been coached by Miss Louise Wetherbee. A large advance sale of tickets has been reported. The leading role is being taken by Catherine Stone '28. The production has been well rehearsed and the management have been liberal in the amounts expended for scenery and costumes.

A SALTONSTALL SCHOLARSHIP

Mrs. Richard M. Saltonstall of Chestnut Hill has founded a first-year scholarship in the Harvard Law School. The scholarship, founded with $5000, is to be called the Saltonstall Scholarship. Concerning her gift to the Law School, Mrs. Saltonstall wrote:

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POLICE NEWS

Tuesday evening at 5.40 as a buss of the Middlesex & Boston was passing along California street, near Crafts someone threw a snowball, which broke a window in the buss and caused two passengers to receive cuts from the flying glass. The police are investigating. Complaints have been received by the police of persons having been hit by snowballs thrown by boys. Perhaps if some of the boys who indulge in this dangerous pastime are summoned into Court for assault, they will have reason to regret having amused themselves at other's expense and suffering. There is in this city a man who has been totally blind for nearly a score of years because of being hit in the eye while driving a team along Franklin street by a snowball thrown by some thoughtless boy. His inability to earn a living because of this assault, caused hardship to his dependents in addition to the pain he suffered from the injury.

Rosamond Gustafson of Brookline avenue, Boston, arrested last week by Patrolman Frank Feeley for drunkenness and driving "wutiol," was in Court yesterday. She was fined $10 on the first count and $100 on the second. She appealed.

Saturday night Serg. Veduccio and Patrolmen Hanlon, Mooney and Walsh, raided the home of John Olkowski at 2313 Washington street, Lower Falls, and seized about 1½ gallons of liquor, Olkowski was arrested for maintaining a liquor nuisance. In court Monday he was fined $100, and given a six months suspended sentence to the House of Correction.

A. H. Brown of Saxon terrace reported to the police that a winter front was stolen from his Ford touring car while it was parked in his yard, sometime between 11 P. M., December 9, and 9 A. M., December 11.

Joseph Del Grasso of Revere was fined $25 in court Saturday for speeding. John R. Cetter of 833 Beacon street, Boston, paid $10 for a similar offence last Friday.

Tony Folino of Riverside street, Watertown, was arrested Friday evening by Sergeants Mahoney and Moan and Officer Green while delivering liquor at a house on River street, West Newton. In court Saturday he was fined $100 for illegal transportation and given a suspended sentence of three months in the House of Correction.

Adam McMullin of 24 Lincoln street, Newton Highlands, was arrested early Saturday morning by Officer Tom Whelan. In Court Saturday he was fined $25 for refusing to stop when ordered to do so by the officer, and $10 for driving without proper lights.

Saturday night Officers Frank Feeley and Marden apprehended Harold Downes of Somerville in an automobile, which had been taken at Revere. In Court Monday Downes was sentenced to six months in the House of Correction for obliterating the engine number on the auto.

Robert Perrin of Bowers street, Newtonville, was found not guilty yesterday by Judge Allen on the charge of driving while under the influence of liquor. Perrin was arrested last week. His attorney produced eight witnesses who testified that the defendant had been sober when they saw him on the night he was arrested.

Christmas Fixings



Ribbon Candy	2 lb box 48c
Peanut Brittle	1 lb box 29c
Stuffed Dates	1 lb box 45c
Malaga Table Raisins	pkg. 40c
R. and R. Plum Pudding	35c and 60c can
Heinz' Fig Pudding	45c can
Heinz' Prep. Mince Meat	35c and 65c jar
Mixed Nuts	30c lb
Walnuts	35c and 39c lb
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DEATH OF OLD RESIDENT

Mr. Robert C. Bridgham, affectionately known as "Bert" to a host of friends and acquaintances, died yesterday morning at his home on Newtonville avenue, Newtonville, after a long period of failing health.

Mr. Bridgham was born in Boston 76 years ago, and was the son of the late Prescott C. and Lucy A. (Foster) Bridgham. His parents removed to Newtonville when he was two years of age and this city has been his home ever since. For many years he has been engaged in business as a florist under the title of the Newton Rose Conservatories.

Mr. Bridgham was a member of numerous societies including the Scottish Rite bodies in Masonry. He was active in military affairs, was at one time a member of the Claflin Guards, and was also interested in the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co. of Boston and the Fusiliers.

Funeral services will be held from his late home tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock.

Newton Highlands

—The Branch Library will, as usual, close at 6 P. M. on Christmas Eve.

—Mrs. S. H. Woodrow of Forest St., entertained the Monday Club this week.

—Mr. John Speakman of Centre St., left this week for Europe on a business trip.

—Albert E. Robinson of Lakewood road, has been confined to the house with grippe.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Elliot entertained their evening bridge club on Monday, last.

—Miss Virginia Hutchinson returns from Smith College next week for the Christmas holidays.

—A Progressive Dinner is being held by the Young People of the Methodist Church this (Friday) evening.

—The bazaar at the Congregational Church last week was a great success, some $2000 being realized.

—Edwin C. Johnson, Jr., of this village has been awarded honors in French at Phillips Exeter Academy.

—The children of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Webster of Harrison street, are confined to the house by illness.

—Miss Bobby Kenderdine of Forest street, returns from Vassar College next week for the Christmas holidays.

—David Birtwell of Lakewood road, has returned from the Newton Hospital where he has been for the past four weeks.

—Mrs. Donald Blackington has returned to her mother's home from the hospital where she recently underwent an operation for appendicitis.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. Paul Townsend and their family motor to Philadelphia and Wilmington, Del., on Thursday next, where they will spend the Christmas holidays.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harris W. Langley of Centre street announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Florence Langley, to Robert S. Austin, the son of Dr. and Mrs. Sedgwick E. Austin of Auburn, N. Y.

—At the Congregational Church next Sunday afternoon, December 19th, the Church School will present as its Christmas Pageant "Christ is Born in Bethlehem." This service will be held at 5 o'clock in the Church Auditorium.

—At the Cline Memorial M. E. Churches Sunday evening at 7.00 will be given the pageant "The Christmas Light." A number of the young people will take part, twins from Boston will sing solos, Mrs. Rutherford, Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Halladay and Lloyd Hazen as well as other fine local talent will take part in the program. This will be the first pageant that has been presented at these popular evening services and it promises to be very inspiring, beautiful and worthwhile. Sunday morning at 10.45 Anne Troskey will sing three solos.

MARRIAGES

MULKERN-McDONOUGH; on November 28 at Chestnut Hill by Rev. William Logue, Joseph Mulkern of Charlestown, and Margaret McDonough of 32 Mayflower road, Chestnut Hill.

SHOEMAKER-WHEELOCK; on November 27 at West Newton by Rev. J. E. Park, Jesse Shoemaker of Philadelphia, and Kate Wheelock of 269 Highland street, West Newton.

ELANDER-LINDAW; on November 27 at Somerville by Rev. A. J. Hallington, Nils Elander of 47 Carleton street, and Lillian Lindaw of 44 Salisbury road, Newton.

FITZGERALD-McKINNON; on November 28 at Brighton by Rev. Joseph Tracy John J. Fitzgerald of 312 Centre street, Newton, and Anna McKinnon of Brighton.

DARE-CHAISSON; on November 25 at Newton by Rev. Robert Mantle, William Dare of Dedham. and Florence Chaisson of 457 Washington street, Newton.

GATELY-MATTHEWS; on November 27 at Newton by Rev. Robert Mantle, Charles Gately of Waltham, and Margaret Matthews of 16 Broadway, Newtonville.

EDISON-CHANNIN; on November 25 at Boston by Rabbi Harry Levi, Irving Edison of Atlanta, Georgia, and Beatrice Channin of 92 Algonquin road, Chestnut Hill.

SULLIVAN-BRACELAN; on November 25 at Upper Falls by Rev. Dennis Donovan James D. Sullivan of 2115 Commonwealth avenue, Auburndale, and Sara E. Bracelan of 223 Eliot street, Upper Falls.

DELANEY-MELLON; on Nov. 25, at Newton by Rev. Conrad Quirbach; James E. Delaney, 15 Cottage Court, Newton, and Irene G. Mellon, 20 Capitol street, Newton.

LEONE-MAZZOLA; on Nov. 28 at Boston by Rev. F. Besti, Donato Leone, 22 Cook street, Newton, and Mary Mazzola, 117 Linwood avenue, Newtonville.

DENSMORE-BROWN; on Nov. 28 at Somerville, by Rev. A. J. Hallington, Clayton Densmore, 60 Everett street, Allston, and Lilla Brown, 25 Riverside street, Auburndale,

MACK-PHINNEY; on Dec. 1 at Newton Centre, by Rev. E. M. Noyes; Harold Mack of Woodstock, Vermont, and Madeleine Phinney of 293 Fuller street, West Newton.

DYSON-PFLEGER; at Framingham, December 11, George H. Dyson of 1001 Watertown St., West Newton, and Helen Pfleger, of Brighton.

DOW-BECK; on Dec. 9 at Wayland by Rev. H. Kimball, Kenneth C. Dow of 56 Columbus St., Newton Hlds., and Kathryn Lane Beck of 11 Rockledge Road.

FORESTERS WHIST

Middlesex Court, M. C. O. F., held a successful Whist and Forty-Five Party Tuesday evening in Elks Hall. Over twenty valuable prizes were awarded to the winners. Miss Mary McMullen of Adams street won the first prize, a 15-pound turkey. Other prizes were awarded to Mrs. D. Dankard, Mrs. Anna White, Mrs. Michael Keating, Mrs. Katherine Hannon, Mrs. Blanche Day, Mrs. Walter Carley, Mrs. Timmins, Miss Margaret McLean and Mr. Ralph Petrilli.

CITY HALL NOTES

Leonard Jackson, promoter of friendly relations between the employees of City Hall has started to prepare for the annual Christmas Party of the officials and clerks at the Hall. Several candidates for the job as Santa Claus have put in their applications. Mayor Childs would be selected, but he has not sufficient girth. Richard Dalton is writing a poem for the occasion.

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ONE THING AND ANOTHER

Written by LEVERETT D. G. BENTLEY

Frequently nowadays there is heard reference to the parole system for prisoners. Sometimes it is severely criticised and sometimes heartily commended. Without going into that, for this is not the season for controversies, if ever they are in order, I should like to put forth something in this connection which I feel will be of interest to Newton people.

Whenever I read or hear of the importance of giving a man, who commits some violation of the law, "another chance" my mind goes back to the person who, I think it is generally believed, was the originator of the probation system in Massachusetts. Now, that, of course, is a pretty strong statement to submit without documentary proof, and yet I have on several occasions heard it uttered and never denied.

That man was the late John Charles Kennedy, justice of the Newton Police Court for nearly thirty years. I suppose nearly everybody in Newton, at least those whose residence here covers a period of ten years, remembers Judge Kennedy. His tall, dignified bearing, his handsome, clear-cut features and his powerful but well-modulated voice gave him a distinguished appearance, albeit a judicial bearing.

However, it is not that which so impressed me as the man himself. I must be permitted this brief personal reference for I as a young, and essentially a "cub" reporter, enjoyed his friendship. He was at all times eager to assist youths and wanted to see the boys he knew grow up to become the right kind of citizens. Although never summoned to appear before him, I had been in his court, many, many times—gathering news for the Graphic and the Boston paper for which I "covered" this city.

It gave me a splendid chance to observe the man. I never forgot how he disposed of cases that required the application of sound common sense as well as of the law. Little did I dream, as I observed his method of "straightening-out" individuals who had started wrong and needed only to be "pulled up" and made to go right, that here was the beginning of the probation system which has become a part of our judicial system.

Judge Kennedy was always firm. But what he did and the punishment he imposed was intended to benefit the prisoner, and often, I am pleased to say, it did. If a man was arraigned for drunkenness and it appeared from casual inquiry that he could be saved from himself, Judge Kennedy would give him a helping hand.

I recall one morning that there was before him a laboring man whom I had seen day after day driving a wagon through the streets. Now it happened that the Judge had known this man for years and had spoken to him as had many other citizens.

On this occasion the man was arraigned, pleaded guilty of drunkenness, and awaited sentence. "See here," said Judge Kennedy, turning towards the dock, "what are you doing, trying to drink up that nice little piece of property your wife and you have managed to buy with your savings? Aren't you ashamed of yourself, a man of your age and standing in this community?" Hardly a judicial utterance, but it was a very human view of the situation.

I recall that the prisoner hung his head. "I guess that's right, your honor," he replied.

"Well, it's going to stop and stop right this minute," retorted the Judge. "You're going out of here and back to your work this very minute, but not until I impress upon you that you are a fool. I'm going to continue your case for three months and you're going to mend your ways. Not only that but you're going to save your money. I want you to report to Mr. Laffie (the late Martin C. Laffie at that time court officer) every Saturday night. You bring your savings bank book with you and show him how much you've put away. We'll keep track of your money for you and see that you don't waste it. Understand?"

Well, I happened to have been so surprised that the case stuck in my mind and I followed it to see what happened. The man did behave himself and did put away part of his savings wekly and after that was all that he should be.

There are those who may say that a Judge should not be undignified or that his business was either to impose a fine or release the man without any lengthy castigation. But wasn't Judge Kennedy sound in his reasoning? You may be sure he was.

I could go on and recount other cases of which I had personal knowledge and which would prove that the keen understanding of human nature made Judge Kennedy a great force for good in this city. I cannot close without repeating what I heard him say—another remark that seemed a bit unusual when coming from the bench—when a boy was arraigned for stealing a small sum of money his poor mother had put away in a tea cup on the top shelf of the kitchen closet.

"What you need more than anything else," said Judge Kennedy, "is a good thrashing but the law doesn't allow me to give you one or I would." That boy "got probation" and did well in after years through the Judge's system of keeping track of first offenders.

Whenever I see something for which I think Newton should be more than grateful I like to pass it along to the readers of this column. This particular case has to do with former Mayors. In Boston, after a Mayor passes out of office it seems to be his principal function to criticise the man who may at that time be the incumbent of the office. The former Mayor freely expresses his views to the newspapers as to how the present administration is "falling down."

Well, thanks be to whatever source one may choose, Newton doesn't have to stand that. I read now and then of the former Mayor of Boston telling the wide, wide world that if the present Mayor would only do thus and so everything would be much better. The recent heaviest snow storm inspired a former Boston Mayor to burst into print with an unmerciful condemnation of the system of snow removal. The former Mayor knew just how it should be done at a tremendous saving to the taxpayers.

If memory serves this same man was pretty bitterly criticized himself when in office. Maybe this is his way of getting square. By the way, I never knew of a heavy snow storm that was not followed by a lot of talk of the failure of the proper people to get rid of the snow. I guess, however, it's just a weakness we all have for settling the other fellow's affairs for him and pointing out our superior judgment.

As I started to say, Newton has no former Mayor with a desire to tell the present Mayor how he should run the city. If there are among our former Mayors those who possess such thoughts they tactfully keep them to themselves and the public doesn't have to be bored with their fiery utterances.

Has it ever occurred to you how Americans can meet inconveniences of travel and make light of them? We may be, as Will Rogers says, somewhat "cuckoo," but we can find time for fun when we most need a sense of humor. And that is surely a saving grace and gets us over many a rough place in the road of life.

The other night I happened to be journeying on a trolley that had encountered a rough passage through the snow drifts. It was making progress, but very slowly and the result was it carried more passengers than three trolley cars could comfortably seat.

It was a situation that would make a testy individual lose complete control of his temper. I confess I was not especially jolly myself and most of the passengers were glum. Happily, however, there was on board one of nature's comedians and he saved the day for everybody. Even the toughest grouch would melt at his words.

Passengers would pile on when there seemed no space whatever for them. Then the humorist would say, "Come right on folks, there's plenty of room on the roof." This made the crowd laugh.

Again, the funny individual would apologize for stepping on somebody's foot, always using a loud voice that could be heard the length of the car. He would complain that he was being crushed to death but didn't care as long as the other people were having a good time. In fact, he kept a running-fire of smart sayings, all in the spirit of fun and not intended to hurt anybody's feelings. Such a man, to my mind, is a useful citizen.

So many people complain that they do not like to write letters. When I read some letters I do not wonder the writers are loath to undertake correspondence. On the other hand there are people who make no pretense at writing but whose letters are jammed full of interesting things. Now, of course, one can for a small sum buy a book on letter-writing and if there is anything that is more wearisome it is the advice offered by such a volume.

How can anybody find inspiration in a set form supplied by a third person who has never heard of the man who wants to write a letter or the person to whom he is to write it? That, however, is no concern of mine. I am dealing only with the complete letter-writer who as an individual is entitled to that distinction.

I have a very good friend who lives some thousand miles away and with whom I frequently exchange letters. If that person were told that his letters were models he would be overcome with amazement and insist that it was a joke. And yet he can present the most commonplace facts in the most absorbing fashion so that it is almost as good as a personal chat. Such an accomplishment should make one proud but it seldom does.

The final rush of Christmas buying is on in full swing. Pity the poor souls who leave everything until the last minute and then expect to complete their task in a day or so. Well, urgings and pleadings are good things but one some people they are wasted. If they do not know that time flies and that time and tide wait for no man and all those little truisms they deserve to have their parcels left at the post, or should we say post-office?

STREET DEPARTMENT PRAISED

Street Commissioner George Stuart has received a number of letters from citizens commending his department for the efficiency displayed in clearing the streets after the recent heavy storm. Mr. Stuart has adopted a method of making the streets passable which is used in this State by but one other city, Springfield. The entire city is charted into 28 sections, each section containing about eight miles of streets. After a storm, 28 heavy trucks, equipped with snow-plows start out, one for each section. The office of the Street Commissioner has report slips which enable a check to be kept on the progress of each truck. The drivers of the plowing trucks make reports as they open the streets in their districts for traffic. But eight of these trucks are owned by the city. The remainder must be hired.

To permit greater efficiency, Mr. Stuart is endeavoring to obtain an appropriation of $54,000 to purchase 21 pieces of equipment for the removal of snow. Had he this equipment, it would be a much easier matter to open our streets for traffic after snow storms. Newton and Springfield have about the same mileage in streets. Last Winter it cost Newton $82,000 to remove the snow; it cost Springfield $190,000. Newton is one of the few cities that plows the roadways and sidewalks on unaccepted streets. Even Springfield does not render this service. Of the 244 miles of streets in this city, 84 miles are not accepted. This will show what a difference would be observed, if Newton did not clear the snow off the private ways. Every street in Newton is plowed as quickly as possible. Most of the citizens are reasonable and appreciate that after a heavy storm it takes time to cover all the city. Very few complaints have been received.

DEATH OF MR. JONES

Mr. Henry V. Jones, for nearly fifty years a resident of Newtonville, died last Friday at his home in Brookline at the age of 62 years.

Mr. Jones was born in Ashland and was the son of William and Catherine Pond Jones. He was well known in the heavy hardware trade, having been with the firm of Chase Parker Company for about thirty years. Although not well since 1910, he was able to attend to business until the last month. He was a member of the Class of '87, Amherst College.

He leaves a widow, Edith (Dewey), and two daughters, Mrs. Edgar A. Witton of Boston and Mrs. Arthur J. May of Rochester, N. Y.

Funeral services were held at the Central Church, Newtonville, on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Arthur M. Ellis officiating and the body was cremated.

SURPRISE PARTY

A Surprise Party was given in honor of Miss Mary C. Jordan, Friday evening, December 10, at her home 1241 Walnut street, Newton Highlands. A number of her friends presented her with a beautiful wrist watch and several other gifts. Her home was decorated with chrysanthemums and roses. The singers of the evening were Miss Annie Harrington of West Newton and Mr. Joseph F. Lane of Fall River. They were accompanied by the Misses Alice Sullivan and Gertrude Jordan, pianist, James P. Roche, violinist.

CITY OF NEWTON MASSACHUSETTS

The Planning Board acting as a Board of Survey will give a public hearing at City Hall, West Newton, Mass., Tuesday, December 28th, 1926, at 4.00 o'clock P. M., for the consideration of the following plans:

1. Plan of Mitchell Place, Newtonville, "Proposed development of land of Horace W. Orr et al, E. M. Brooks C. E., September 8, 1926."
2. Plan of Proposed Street off Beacon Street, Waban, "Proposed development of land of Hannah King, E. S. Smillie C. E., June 8, 1926."
3. Plan of Stoneleigh Road, West Newton, "Proposed development of land of Dorothy Curran et als, W. E. Leonard C. E., Dec. 1, 1926."

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C. Edwin Josselyn was the innocent cause of giving a scare to a resident of this city the other day. Mr. Josselyn conceived the bright idea (or copied it, we don't know which), of placing two signs inside his store window on Centre street, and attached them to a pulley arrangement. Whenever the door of the store is opened, the signs are pulled up. When the door is closed the signs are lowered again. A few days ago a man was reading one of the signs when some customer opened the door of Josselyn's store. The sign started up—and so did the person reading it. He jumped about three inches off the ground. He must have thought "he was seeing things."

In a Boston paper on Monday, was an alleged account of a fete day in Mexico. Among the hawkers and vendors said to have been present, special mention was made of an "Irish snake charmer." We thought the Hindus had a sort of monopoly on this profession. The "snake charmer" referred to in this article, certainly could not have acquired the art in his native land.

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late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by William P. Mahoney who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, one of the executors therein named, the other having declined to accept the trust without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 17-24-31.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Josephine S. Wyeth
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Walter F. Wyeth who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

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LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 17-24-31.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of
Patrick Moran
late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Elizabeth A. Cody of Newton in said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the thirtieth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten oclock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing post paid a copy of this citation to the next of kin of said deceased, addressed to the last known post office address of each, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 10-17-24.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Annie W. Cumings late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

HARRY P. BRADFORD, Executor.

(Address)
269 Summer St., Boston, Mass.
Dec. 13, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Louise N. Brown late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ANNA E. BROWN, Admx.

(Address)
128 Lowell Ave.,
Newton, Mass.
Dec. 13th, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Elizabeth J. Wonderly late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

PAUL E. WONDERLY,
Adm.

(Address)
Paul E. Wonderly,
31 Milk St., Boston, Mass.
c/o Abbott & Carroll,
December 13, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.
To all persons interested in the estate of
T. Wallace Travis
late of Newton in said County, deceased:

WHEREAS, Ida L. Travis the executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and second accounts of her administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the fourth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten oclock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 7-24-31.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscribers have been duly appointed executrices of the will of Charles D. Pickard late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds, and by said Julia Pickard Stoessel, appointing George M. Weed of Concord in said County of Middlesex her agent, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscribers.

LENORA PICKARD,
JULIA PICKARD STOESSEL,
Executrices.

(Address)
No. 294 Central Park West,
New York City, N. Y.
December 6, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscribers have been duly appointed administratrices of the estate of Blanche N. Learned late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

MIRIAM L. CARPENTER,
EVELYN L. LANGMAID,
Admxs.

(Address)
Harvey P. L. Partridge,
610 Barristers Hall,
Boston, Mass.
December 4, 1926.
Dec. 10-17-24

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Carl I. Stevens to Roscoe L. Davidson, dated April 5, 1926 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4963, page 22, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on MONDAY the tenth day of January A.D. 1927 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage, with all improvements thereon, and described in said mortgage as follows, viz:—

"A certain parcel of land containing 6890 square feet with the buildings thereon situated on the Southeasterly side of Chapin Road in that part of Newton in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts called Newton Centre, being shown as Lot 28 on Barnes & Beal's plan dated July 1925, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Plan Book 372, plan 8, and said parcel is bounded and described as follows, to wit:—

NORTHWESTERLY by Chapin Road as shown on said plan, sixty-three and 90/100 (63.90) feet;
NORTHEASTERLY by Lot 29 as shown on said plan, one hundred twelve and 57/100 (112.57) feet;
SOUTHEASTERLY by land marked on said plan "Cochituate Aqueduct" sixty-four (64) feet; and
SOUTHWESTERLY by Lot 27 as shown on said plan, one hundred and 32/100 (100.32) feet; together with rights of way in said Chapin Road in common with others entitled thereto.

Being the same premises conveyed to me by W. Mark Noble Jr. by deed dated April 5, 1926, delivered and recorded herewith, and they are conveyed subject to the restrictions thereon noted or referred to and also to the rights, easements, and restrictions referred to in deed recorded with said Deeds, Book 4837, page 39."

The premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes, municipal liens and assessments, if any there be.

$500 cash will be required of the purchaser at time and place of sale. Other terms announced at sale.

ROSCOE L. DAVIDSON, Mortgagee.
F. L. Peirce, Attorney,
73 Tremont Street,
Boston, Mass.
December 14, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

In Department of Public Utilities, Boston, December 9, 1926—On the petition of Boston Consolidated Gas Company for approval of an issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding $10,500,000 for the purpose of providing funds to retire its outstanding preferred stock of the par value of $10,000,000, the Commission of the Department of Public Utilities will give a public hearing to all parties interested at its hearing-room, 166 State House, Boston, on Tuesday, the twenty-first day of December current, at tenthirty o'clock in the forenoon. And the petitioner is required to give notice of said hearing by serving a copy hereof upon the respective mayors of Boston, Chelsea, Newton and Waltham and the respective chairmen of the selectmen of Brookline, Milton, Watertown, Wellesley and Weston seven days at least prior to the date of said hearing, to publish a copy hereof in the Boston American, Boston Globe, Boston Herald, Boston Post, Boston Transcript, Boston Traveler, Christian Science Monitor, Chelsea Record, Newton Graphic, Waltham News-Tribune and Watertown Tribune-Enterprise, in each of said papers once at least prior to the date of said hearing, and to make return of service and publication at the time of hearing. By order of the Commission, ANDREW A. HIGHLANDS, Secretary.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Lewson Edwin Chase
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Florence Gilman Chase who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fifth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 17-24-31.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of
Bosa C. de Larramendi
late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to George Sturgis of Weston in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the thirtieth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing post paid a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 10-17-24.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of
Sarah S. Mumford
late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Charles M. Mumford of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-seventh day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 10-17-24.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Mary Alice Pigott late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

A. FRANCIS HAYDEN,
Executor.

(Address)
67 Milk Street,
Boston, Mass.
Dec. 3, 1926.
Dec. 10-17-24

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Abraham Siegal to Harry L. Nelson, dated May 6th, 1926, and recorded with Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Book 4965, Page 518, for breach of the condition thereof, will be sold at public Auction on Monday the third day of January, 1927, at three o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises described in said mortgage, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage deed, namely: the land in that part of Newton, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, called Newtonville, being shown as lot numbered twenty five on a plan entitled "Subdivision of Land in Newtonville, Mass., belonging to Walter A. Rollins & Co., dated September 1924 by Roland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal," and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Plan Book 351, Plan 3, and bounded and described as follows:— Easterly by Lowell Avenue fifty two and 96/100 feet; NORTHERLY by lot 24 on said plan ninety seven and 97/100 feet; WESTERLY by lot 26 on said plan sixty five and 14/100 feet; and Southerly by Bolton Road as shown on said plan eighty-two and 75/100 feet; and SOUTHEASTERLY by the curve forming the junction of said Lowell Avenue and Bolton Road thirty-three and 36/100 feet. Containing 7026 sq. feet, according to said plan, be any or all of said measurements and contents more or less. Subject to a mortgage held by Medford Trust Company in the sum of Twelve Thousand (12,000) Dollars.

Said premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes or municipal liens.

$200, in cash will be required of the purchaser at time and place of sale.

NEWTON INVESTMENT COMPANY,
by Robert H. Evans, treasurer.
assignee of said mortgage.

H. L. Whittlesey, Atty.
234 Boylston St.
Boston, Mass.
Dec. 10-17-24

SHERIFF'S SALE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, ss. December 2, A.D. 1926.

Taken on execution and will be sold by public auction, on Wednesday, the twelfth day of January A.D. 1927, at one o'clock P.M., at my office, 20 Second Street in Cambridge in said county of Middlesex, all the right, title and interest that ANDREW J. McNEILL of Boston in the County of Suffolk, had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the fourteenth day of October A.D. 1926, at three o'clock and forty-five minutes P.M., being the time when the same was attached on mesne process, in and to the following described real estate, to wit:—

A certain parcel of land with the dwelling house and garage thereon, situated on the northeasterly side of Woodland Road in that part of Newton called Auburndale, in Middlesex County, Massachusetts, and shown as Lot 1 on a plan entitled "Subdivision of Land in Newton, Massachusetts, owned and developed by Fred Holland Chamberlin, made by Barnes and Beal, Engineers, dated January 1925, and recorded in Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Plan Book 348, Plan 10, and bounded and described as follows:—

Southwesterly on said Woodland Road, eighty (80) feet; Northwesterly on land now or late of Young, ninety and 91/100 (90.91) feet; Northeasterly by lot 8 shown on said plan, sixty-seven and 18/100 (67.18) feet; Southeasterly by Lot 2 shown on said plan, ninety (90) feet. Containing sixty-six hundred twenty-three (6623) square feet according to said plan.

HERBERT C. BLACKMER,
Deputy Sheriff.

December 17-24-31.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage given by Maude E. Taylor to the Waltham National Bank, dated August 12, 1925, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4875, Page 424, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the premises on Saturday the eighth day of January 1927, at two o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: The land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of Newton called West Newton, being lot 95 on a plan made by J. W. Morrison and Frank O. Whitney, dated June 7, 1888, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 55, Plan 24, bounded and described as follows:—

SOUTHERLY by Elliott Avenue, one hundred three (103) feet;
WESTERLY by Waltham Street, fifty and 25/100 (50.25) feet;
NORTHERLY by lot 94 on said plan, one hundred and 50/100 (100.50) feet; and
EASTERLY by lot 86 on said plan, fifty and 6/100 (50.06) feet.

Containing 5088 square feet of land.

Five hundred (500) Dollars will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time of the sale. Other terms will be announced at the sale.

WALTHAM NATIONAL BANK,
By Henry P. Buncher,
Cashier.

Harvey, Bannan & Bannan, Attorneys.
Dec. 10-17-24.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of
Rosa C. de Larramendi
late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to George Sturgis of Weston in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the thirtieth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing post paid a copy of this citation to the next of kin of said deceased, addressed to the last known post office address of each, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 10-17-24.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of
Sarah S. Mumford
late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Charles M. Mumford of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-seventh day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 10-17-24.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Ida R. Bangs late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JESSIE M. GLADWIN, Admx.

(Address)
29 Lowell St.,
North Weymouth.
December 7, 1926.
Dec. 10-17-24

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Otis S. Phillips and Gladys K. Phillips, his wife in her right, of Newton, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, to Joseph Paul and E. Augustus Holzman, dated June 21, 1926, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4975, Page 352, for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the mortgaged premises on Saturday, January 8, 1927, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:

"the land in said Newton with the buildings thereon, being the parcel shown on a plan by French & Bryant, dated Dec. 8, 1908, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds at the End of Book 3417. bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by Beacon Street, one hundred twenty and 72/100 (120.72) feet;
Southeasterly by land now or late of Jones, three hundred three and 85/100 (303.85) feet;
Southwesterly by Chestnut Hill Road, one hundred forty-four and 13/100 (144.13) feet on a curve with a radius of about three hundred twenty-three and 63/100 (323.63) feet; and
Northwesterly by land now or late of Henry H. Whitney et al, by a line parallel with the Southeasterly boundary line, three hundred seventy-one and 59/100 (371.59) feet.

Containing 40,000 square feet, be said measurements and contents, more or less, and all according to said plan. Being the same premises conveyed to said Gladys K. Phillips by Charter by deed recorded with said Deeds, Book 4301, Page 5.

Said premises are subject to a prior mortgage of $15,000 to the East Boston Savings Bank, dated April 21, 1920, recorded with said Deeds, Book 4343, Page 370."

Said premises will be sold and conveyed subject as aforesaid and to any and all unpaid taxes and municipal assessments thereon, if any.

One Thousand Dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale; other terms at the time and place of sale.

JOSEPH PAUL,
G. AUGUSTUS HOLZMAN,
Mortgagees.

Morris B. Frankel, Attorney,
1000 Cambridge Street,
Cambridge, Mass.
Dec. 10-17-24.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Thomas F. Melody
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Arthur T. Melody and Joseph P. Melody who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-ninth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 10-17-24.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Alice M. Wilson to Gesner H. Roscoe, dated March 18, 1925, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4824, Page 139, of which mortgage deed the undersigned is the present holder, the same having been assigned to it on July 2, 1925; for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction on the premises hereinafter described at ten o'clock A. M., on the Third day of January, 1927, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, and therein described as follows, namely:

"A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon and all privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging; situated in that part of Newton, called Newtonville, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, being shown as lot 20 on a plan of land in Newtonville belonging to Walter A. Rollins dated March 13, 1923 by E. S. Smille, Surveyor, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 317, Plan 25, said lot No. 20 is bounded:

Southerly by Commonwealth Avenue, eighty (80) feet;
Westerly by lot 18 on said plan, one hundred (100) feet;
Northerly by lot 21 on said plan, eighty (80) feet;
Easterly by lot 22 on said plan, one hundred (100) feet;
Containing eight thousand (8000) square feet of land.

Being the same premises conveyed to me by deed of Gesner H. Roscoe of even date to be recorded herewith.

Subject to a mortgage to the Westborough Savings Bank upon which there remains unpaid the sum of Ninety-Eight Hundred and Seventy-Five (9875) Dollars.

Subject to restrictions of record in so far as the same are now in force and effect and also subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments if any."

Three Hundred Dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time of the sale and the balance to be paid on the delivery of deed.

JOHN T. BURNS & SONS, INC.,
Present holder of said mortgage.
365 Centre Street,
Newton, Mass.
Dec. 10-17-24.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Elida J. Bangs late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JOHN A. BENNETT, Executor.

(Address)
6 Beacon St.,
Boston, Mass.
Dec. 2, 1926.
Dec. 3-10-17.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Henry J. O'Meara to Helen M. Towle, dated December 15, 1924, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book, 4802, page 32, for breach of condition thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on January 3, 1927, at three o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed (except such parts as have been released as hereinafter noted) namely: The land in said Newton with the buildings thereon, shown as parcel "E" on a plan entitled "Plan for the development of the Towle Estate, Newton, Mass. by Henry J. O'Meara", which plan is recorded, subject to correction with respect to all measurements, areas, and dimensions thereon shown. Said parcel "E" is bounded and described as follows:

Northerly on Cabot Street about six hundred (600) feet;
Easterly on parcel "D" on said plan along the middle of a private way shown on said plan as "Pondway Road" by a curved line about five hundred ninety-four (594) feet;
Southerly and Westerly by a curved line along the middle of a private way shown on said plan as Westchester Road, about one thousand (1,000) feet, containing lots numbered one (1) to seventeen (17) both inclusive in block two (2) on said plan, and a so-called "reserved" area about a pond, containing twenty-four thousand four hundred, ninety (24,490) square feet, the whole parcel "E" containing about 239,040 square feet, all of said quantities and measurements being more or less.

Said conveyance includes the fee to the middle line of any way upon the land belonging to the mortgagor which is shown on said plan as adjoining said parcel. There is also appurtenant to the mortgaged parcel a right of way for all purposes over all ways shown on said plan to all connecting public ways. The premises are conveyed subject to the Zoning Law requirements, if any there be, so far as now in force and applicable thereto.

There is reserved a common right of way for all purposes of a public street, including the right to grade and lay out, construct or cause to be constructed, sidewalks and curbing, put in sewer and water pipes, gas pipes, electric light conduits, poles, wires and all other general public service appliances which are usual to public streets or ways, in, on or over the streets, any portion of which are included in the mortgaged premises.

The following releases of property included in said mortgage have been given, and the parcels hereafter described will not be included in said sale.

First: A partial release dated June 26, 1925 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds Book 4862, page 202, covering land in Newton, being shown as lot 78 on a plan entitled "Subdivision of the Towle Estate in Newton, owned and developed by Henry J. O'Meara, Rowland H. Barnes, and Henry F. Beal, Civil Eng'r's, March 1925" recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds as Filed Plan No. 806 and bounded

Southerly by Westchester Road by a curved line as shown on said plan forty-two and 85/100 (42.85) feet;
Southwesterly by a curved line forming the junction of Westchester Road and Langdon Street sixty-four and 41/100 (64.41) feet;
Westerly by Langdon Street forty-five and 76/100 (45.76) feet;
Northwesterly by a curved line forming the junction of Langdon Street and Cabot Street as shown on said plan thirty-nine and 77/100 (39.77) feet;
Northerly by Cabot Street by a curved line as shown on said plan forty-nine and 95/100 (49.95) feet;
Easterly by lot No. 79 on said plan one hundred twenty-four and 01/100 (124.01) feet; and containing according to said plan 8350 square feet of land.

Second: A partial release dated December 4, 1925 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds Book 4920, page 505, covering all of the mortgagee's rights in all the streets shown on the plan referred to in said mortgage except the parts thereof which are included within the boundaries of the streets shown on a plan entitled "Subdivision of the Towle Estate in Newton, Mass. by Rowland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal, Civil Engr's, March 1925" recorded with said deeds as Filed Plan No. 806, excepting also so much of said streets as are included within the limits of the land conveyed by C. Leo Thebeau to the Boston Academy of the Sacred Heart.

Third: A partial release dated December 5, 1925 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds Book 4920, page 507, covering all of the land covered by said mortgage except that part thereof which is included within the boundaries of lots 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 26, 27, and 28 as shown on a plan entitled "Subdivision of the Towle Estate in Newton, owned and developed by Harry J. O'Meara, Rowland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal, Civil Eng'r's, March 1925" recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds as Filed Plan No. 806, and particularly all the mortgagee's rights in all the streets shown on plan referred to in said mortgage except the parts thereof which are included within the boundaries of the streets shown on said plan dated March 1925.

Fourth: A partial release dated December 10, 1925, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds Book 5029, page 31, covering the land in Newton, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, being shown as lots 79 and 80 on a plan entitled "Subdivision of lots 79-80-92, on a plan of land in Newton, Mass. made by Rowland H. Barnes, and Henry F. Beal, Civil Eng'r's, March 1925" said subdivision plan being made by John J. Smith, Eng'r, dated December 1925, to be recorded, and bounded and described as follows:

Northerly by Cabot Street one hundred forty-five (145) feet;
Easterly by lot No. 81 on said plan of March, 1925, by Rowland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal which is recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds as Filed Plan No. 806, ninety-five (95) feet;
Southerly by parts of lots No. 80 and No. 79 on said Filed Plan No. 806, one hundred forty-five (145) feet;
Westerly by a part of lot No. 78 on said Filed Plan No. 806, ninety (90) feet;

Said lots together containing according to said plan 13,411 square feet of land, be any or all of said contents or measurements more or less.

Said premises will be sold subject to any and all taxes, liens, and assessments, if any there be.

One thousand dollars ($1000.00) in cash will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale and the balance in ten (10) days thereafter at the office of Curtis H. Waterman, 1101 Pemberton Building, Boston, Massachusetts.

HELEN M. TOWLE, Mortgagee.
Dec 10-17-24.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage of real estate given by George M. Briggs, of Watertown, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, to William L. Terhune, of Boston, Suffolk County, Massachusetts, dated May 10, 1926, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, book 4973, page 485, for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises on Monday, January 3, 1927, at 3.15 o'clock in the afternoon, the real estate described in said mortgage, to wit:—

"The land in that part of Newton, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, called Newton Centre, with the buildings thereon, being shown as lot 50 on a plan entitled "Subdivision of the Fred Holland Chamberlin Estates, Numbers 5 and 6 in Newton Centre, Mass. Rowland H. Barnes & Henry F. Beal, C. E's.", dated May, 1925, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Plan Book 358, Plan 12, bounded and described as follows:—

Easterly by Greenlawn Avenue, sixty-five (65) feet;
Southerly by lot 51 on said plan, one hundred fifteen (115) feet;
Westerly by lots 59 and 60 in said plan sixty-five (65) feet; and
Northerly by lot 49 on said plan one hundred fifteen (115) feet.

Containing 7475 square feet of land, according to said plan.

Subject to easement rights of the City of Newton over Hammond Brook."

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens and assessments, if any. Seven Hundred Dollars ($700) required at sale.

WILLIAM L. TERHUNE,
Mortgagee.

For further particulars, apply to Swain, Carpenter & Nay, attorneys for the mortgagee, 73 Cornhill, Boston, Mass.
Dec. 10-17-24

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Harry L. Nelson to the Watertown Co-operative Bank, dated the twenty-ninth day of October, 1925, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4914, Page 510, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises therein described, on Thursday, December 30, 1926, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage, and therein described as follows:

"the land in that part of Newton called Auburndale, with the buildings thereon, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on the Northerly side of Auburn Street on the Westerly side of land now or late of the City of Newton being a passageway twelve (12) feet in width on the line of Auburn Street leading from said street to the "schoolhouse lot" so-called; thence running Westerly by said Auburn Street Sixty-(60) feet more or less; thence turning at a right angle and running by land now or late of William P. and Benjamin Bourne one hundred sixty (160) feet ten inches more or less to said "schoolhouse lot"; thence, running Southeasterly by said "schoolhouse lot" eighty

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CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

Unusual Program Successfully Carried Out At Eden Avenue Playground, West Newton

The second Community Christmas Tree pageant at West Newton was observed last night. At 6.45 the chimes of the First Unitarian Church began a half hour concert of the old Christmas Carols to summon the folks of West Newton to the Eden Ave. Playground. From all sections of the village, as well as from other parts of the city, hundreds of big and little people gathered to witness the beautiful pageant produced under the auspices of the West Newton Community Centre. At 7.15, Trumpeter Jacobs of Boston started to play a number of Christmas melodies, continuing until the ceremonies started at 7.45.

In the centre of the playground a huge Christmas tree had been erected by employees of the Playground Department. The tree was beautifully illuminated by hundreds of electric lights and was surrounded by attractively arranged greenery. A large space had been roped off by the Playground Department and outside stood the large audience which had come to enjoy the pageant. At 7.45 Mayor Childs greeted the gathering and lauded the efforts of those who had labored so hard to make the affair a success. He stressed the benefits obtained by community work. At the conclusion of his remarks the long procession of those participating in the pageant began to emerge from the Davis School. It was composed of 200 members of the West Newton Community Centre, in addition to the choir of the Second Church of West Newton, members of the Newton Choral Society and other organizations. Boy Scouts circulated among the spectators and distributed sheets containing the words of some of the carols which were sung by all present.

The procession was headed by Mr. Fred Alexander, who acted as Master of Ceremonies. Richard Mandell, attired in a Knights costume of pale blue, bore a large banner inscribed with the greeting "Merry Christmas." He was attended by Robert Duncan and David Farnham, who were garbed in tunics of red and green. After them came the members of the Community Centre, grouped in 14 units, each unit dressed differently. Many of those marching carried torches, and as the procession wound about the playground before the participants grouped themselves around the tree, the effect was beautiful. Among the various units were young girls wearing red tams and capes and carrying garlands, the Young Club, a boys' unit, the Go Ahead Club composed of colored boys, both of these groups bearing gaily colored banners. Then followed the Star, Cheer and Moulton Clubs wearing yellow turbans and scarfs, the Whittling Club—boys carrying torches, and next the general delegation of Community Centre members attired in green tun-

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MERIT BADGES AWARDED

A Large Number of Girl Scouts Win Honors in Scouting

"At Christmas play and make good cheer,
For Christmas comes but once a year"

Christmas parties in every village last week with Santa Claus as a guest of honor at most of them! (How truly busy the good saint must feel at this time of year!) Games and presents for scouts and brownies! Baskets of good food and warm clothes for others less fortunate than themselves! Curely the Newton Girl Scouts are making this season a time of merriment and good cheer.

On Monday, December 20th, the Senior troop, No. 21, in Newton Highlands gave a party for their Junior troop, No. 11. There was a gift for every scout both large and small, and after supper an entertainment was given by the Seniors for the Juniors.

The troops in Auburndale, No. 8 and No. 18, and in Newton, troops No. 2 and No. 20, also made merry on Monday afternoon and Santa Claus shared his position as guest of honor with Mrs. Day, the commissioner for Newton and Miss Freeman, the director for Newton.

Other troops which gave parties during the week were those in Newtonville, Upper Falls, West Newton, and the Brownie Pack of Waban.

On Christmas Eve the scouts remembered that Christmas is a time of giving as well as fun making and girls from every village took presents of Christmas dinners, play things, and clothes to poor families in the city.

On Friday evening, December 17th, an investiture ceremony was held at troop 13 in Newton Centre. A tenderfoot pin was given to Beatrice Wilson, and a second class badge to Judith Peterson. First class badges were awarded to Ethel deMille, Priscilla Hudson, and Elizabeth Walworth.

The merit badges which were awarded at the rally on December 3rd were given to the following girls:—

Newtonville, Troop 1—Alma Warner, Health Winner. Pioneer; Ruth Trowbridge, Hostess; Marjorie Mighill, Health Winner; Phyllis Burnell, Pioneer.

Troop 10—Dorothy Allen, Scout Neighbor, Scout Guide; Judith Andress, Flower Finder; Gladys Brown, Home Nurse; Elinor Brown, First Aid; Rosamond Bowen, First Aid; Elizabeth Clark, Flower Finder; Esther Coleman, Flower Finder; Mary Coleman, Home Nurse, Flower Finder; Emily Dunleavey, Home Nurse, Swimmer; Florence Hills, Swimmer, Pioneer, Home Nurse; Louise Kimball, Hostess, First Aid; Ruth Lapham, Swimmer; Eleanor Mildram, Home Nurse, Flower Finder; Helen O'Brien, First Aid; Mary Olcott, Home Nurse; Mary Pflieger, Home Nurse; Constance Rechel, Flower Finder; Louise Trowbridge, First Aid, Pioneer, Home Nurse; Harri Lou Watts, Signalling.

Troop 22—Captain Lovejoy, Hostess, First Aid, Pioneer.

Newton, Troop 2—Dorothy Taylor, First Aid; Mary Robinson, Pioneer.

Troop 20—Captain Converse, Home Maker; Virginia Browne, Scholarship, Home Maker; Charlotte Douglass, Home Maker, First Aid; Christine Dargon, Health Winner, First Aid, Hostess, Home Maker; Ellen Guion, Home Maker, Flower Finder, Home Nurse, Health Winner; Mary Hay, Home Maker; Margaret Reeve, Pioneer;

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CHILD KILLED

Sad Automobile Accident at Nonantum

Illo House, the four year old daughter of Irving House, 52 Rustic street, Nonantum, died Sunday afternoon at the Cambridge Hospital as a result of internal injuries sustained at 1 o'clock that afternoon, when she was run over by a automobile driven by Harry Karger, Jr., of 483 California street, Nonantum. The little girl had been to the Sunday School of the North Congregational Church on Chapel street, and had ridden toward her home in an automobile driven by Harry Butler of 254 California street, in company with Mr. Butler's children. At the corner of California street and Faxon street, Mr. Butler stopped his car to drop some letters in a mail box. While he was doing this, the House child alighted from the car and ran around in front of it just as the Karger automobile came along. She ran directly in front of the auto, the wheels passing over her body before the car could be stopped. Emily DeWolfe of 250 California street, who was passing, picked up the little girl. Mr. Karger rushed her in his car to the Cambridge Hospital, where she died at 3.25 of internal injuries.

FULLER GARAGE MANAGER FINED

Levi Wilcut, manager of the Fuller Garage at 966 Watertown street, West Newton, was fined $50 in the Newton District Court yesterday by Judge Robert Frost of Brighton for illegally selling gasoline from two pumps erected several weeks ago outside the garage.

NOTABLE EVENT

A notable social event this week was the ball given at the Hotel Somerset, Tuesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Conway of Waban for their daughter, Miss Janet Conway, who has recently been elected to provisional membership in the Junior League.

At a dinner given to the ushers previous to the ball, the engagement was announced of Miss Virginia Conway, and Mr. O. Herbert Sherbrooke of Brookline.

Miss Virginia Conway attended Miss Myra Hall's School at Pittsfield and was graduated from a private school in Boston two years ago. She made her debut two seasons ago at a dinner-dance in Christmas week, and is a member of that season's Junior League, group 1924-25.

Mr. Sherbrooke attended the University of Virginia, class of 1924, and is a member of the Delta Phi fraternity of the university.

Miss Janet Conway, previous to her formal presentation, has had an active part in the various gayeties in honor of other debutantes and has been promient at luncheons, teas., dinners and dances.

ALUMNI DAY

Graduates of Newton High School to Meet on December 29th

The alumni of the Newton High schools are cordially invited to attend an Alumni Day to be held at the Newton High School next Wednesday evening. There will be a social hour from 5.30 to 6.30, a dinner in the new cafeteria from 6.30 to 7.30. Special features in the auditorium after dinner, followed by dancing in the new gymnasium. The alumni of the school are requested to advertise this meeting among former students of the school.

The ushers have been selected from the various classes with A. W. Dickinson as head usher, and will escort the guests to the receiving line. The alumni orchestra will furnish music.

Attention is called to the limitation that applications for tickets must be made on or before next Monday, December 27th.

WIN PRIZES

At the organization meeting of the Newton Corner Business Associates, the Graphic offered a prize of $25 for the best decorated store window in that part of the city during the Christmas season and to which the Newton Progress added a second prize of $15.

These offers evidently aroused considerable interest, as the business section of Newton Corner has been gaily decorated all this week.

The donors of the prizes were fortunate in obtaining the services of Dr. and Mrs. Guy M. Winslow of Auburndale and Mr. G. Wilbur Thompson of Newton Centre, as judges, and the windows were duly inspected late Wednesday afternoon.

The first prize for the best window display was awarded to Moore and Moore, the second to Randall's candy shop, with honorable mention for Hubbard's Drug Store, John T. Burns & Sons, Ford's Market, and Frank J. Perry.

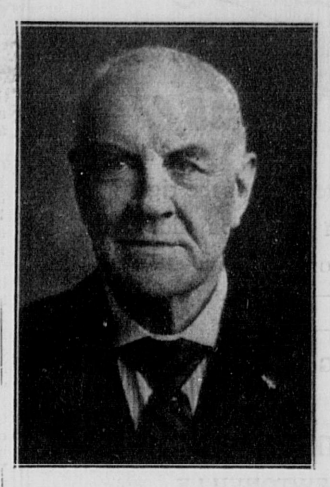
CHRISTMAS SEALS

Dr. Kendall Emerson of Worcester, President of the Massachusetts Tuberculosis League, in reviewing the progress of the Seal Sale said today, "We have every reason to expect that the annual Christmas Seal Sale, which for the past eighteen years has been carried on successfully for the prevention of tuberculosis, is to equal the sales of previous years. One peculiar phenomenon, however, has been called to my attention during the course of this Seal Sale and that is the failure of the people who purchase the Christmas Seals to use them as widely as in previous years on Christmas packages, letters and greeting cards.

The tuberculosis associations are planning for extensions of their work in the prevention of disease, especially among children, in 1927."

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THE WEEK IN NEWTON SPORTS

Edited by WARREN K. BRIMBLECOM

ALUMNI TRACK MEET

Next Thursday evening in the old gymnasium building at the Newton High School the starter's pistol will crack at 7.15 P. M. to start the annual alumni vs. high school track meet. With the new saucer bank constructed on the north end of the building, marked improvement has been made on the track. Delay in the arrival of the material has made it impossible to finish the other end this week, necessitating the use of two of the old banks. The south end bank will be constructed after the holiday recess. Several of the alumni have tried out the new bank and are enthusiastic in their approval.

One of the strongest alumni teams ever to face the undergraduates will be on deck for the meet. Because of the fact that the meet this year is being held during the holiday vacation season many former high school stars now attending colleges can be present. Entries for the graduate team include Phil Hardy; Walter McQuiston of Dartmouth; Chester Pratt of Lehigh; Tom Clausen of Holy Cross; Malcolm Gallagher of Dartmouth; Alfred Hartridge of Andover; William Henrich of Harvard; Berkeley Johnson of Wesleyan; Warren Adams of Princeton; John DeMille of Williams; Charles Barba of Lehigh; Alan Shaw of Bowdoin; Howard Weeks of Cornell; William Lodge, John Ramsden, Win Mercer, Jim Conniff, John Duane, Harold Swartz, H. Thompson, and DiFazio. There is also the possibility that Julius Kohler of Bowdoin and Tom Gilligan of Exeter will compete.

An exhibition half-mile walk between A. W. Bell, N. E. A. A. U. champion, and Ed. Wilson of the B. A. A. track team is on the program.

Clarence V. Moore will be the referee and starter and John L. Sullivan, clerk. The rest of the officials will include Bert Cotting, Henry Pierce, Don Houghton and other former track men.

After the meet, which will start promptly at 7.15, there will be dancing, probably in the new gymnasium, although definite announcement will be made at the time of the meet.

Track practice next week will be held at 10.30 A. M. on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. The alumni athletes have been invited to use the track at these hours.

ANNUAL CAMP REUNION

The annual reunion of Camp Passaconaway will be held next Thursday noon at the Boston City Club. It is expected that over 100 former campers will be present. Stanley Lyons, former Newton high and Dartmouth star athlete, will be the toastmaster. Brief speeches will be made by Coach Dickinson and Donald Houghton but the chief feature of the luncheon will be the ensuing entertainment. "Jake" Stafford will stage his sleight-of-hand peformance to which he had added many new and interesting tricks. The Camp Trio, consisting of the Chadwick brothers and Duncan Howland, will entertain. Mr. George Peckham of Church street, Newton, will show movies of life at the camp and some comedy films. Donald Houghton, the camp "radio" announcer, will add his humorous bit to the attractive program.

WINTER SPORTS

The Brae-Burn Country Club of West Newton has announced a very attractive, well-planned winter sports program for the coming outdoor season amid the ice and snow. Increased membership and activity last year has resulted in the winter sports' committee planning better and safer facilities to the end that the younger children may also participate.

A new toboggan slide has been erected which is of the best anywhere in the country and the slope of the ski jump has been changed to improve the take-off. One of the most delightful of the newest sports, "tray coasting," has been added to the program and the younger participants can learn all the thrills that this sport contains on the small hill in front of the clubhouse. The skating pond will be kept clear of snow so that it will be in the best of condition at all times. A special area will be roped off for figure and fancy skating and teachers will be present at certain hours to instruct those who desire lessons.

The club will be represented by a hockey team which will have in its line-up many former well-known athletes of the high school and eastern colleges.

On January first—winter sports day—if weather conditions permit, a competitive program has been arranged. In the morning there will be children's skating races and a hockey game between the Brae-Burn sextet and an independent team of nationally known hockey players which has been organized recently. In the afternoon there will be exhibition figure skating, ski jumping, and tobogganing.

The first carnival of the winter will be held on January 7 and in case of unfavorable weather it will be postponed until the following Friday evening. The program for this carnival will be announced later.

SPORT NOTES

The success of the Cornell rifle team this year depends upon the work of their coach who is none other than Samuel Moore of Newtonville. Sam is one of the foremost marksmen in the country and his ability to teach is unquestionable when one considers the various camps that he has brought into prominence due to his instruction in marksmanship. He was elected captain of the newly organized rifle team at Ithaca, and, as a result, took on the burden of coaching the group along with the duties of the leader. Although he will only be at Cornell a short time due to his appointment examinations at Annapolis, still he will make the Big Red team one of the best in the country by his work both as a participant and as a coach.

The Dartmouth swimming team is prepared for a great season with such a large percentage of its veterans returning. The chief reason for this feeling of optimism at the home of the Green is that they have one of the fastest dash men in the country on their team. Bunny Bryant of West Newton is the nearest approach to Captain Bronson of Yale in college circles. He was the only swimmer to push the Eli men all season and his past record is sufficient proof of his ability.

The Lafayette team has taken to the pool with fond expectations that they will push Rutgers in the championship meets this year. Robert Patterson from Newton Highlands, who was a member of the group last year, is once more out for his old position of back-stroke man. Last season he met with remarkable success and with his chief opponent graduated he should be able to establish himself as the premier man in his event in that vicinity.

When the new University Club takes the ice one familiar face for Newton followers will be present for George Owen has once more donned hockey regalia. He will lead one of the most formidable sextets in amateur hockey since nearly all the leading players are now members of this new club in Boston. He plans to play defence, teaming up with Ken Marshall, the old Melrose star.

The Boston University hockey team seems to depend on the efforts of their centre iceman, none other than "Gyp" Lawless of Newton, whose scoring ability made Coach Gaw shift him over from wing to the middle lane. Ever since taking on the new responsibility "Gyp" has proven to be a distinct threat to any defense with his weaving manner of carrying the puck; and his fast, accurate shooting. This is his third year as a member of the Terrier sextet and as a veteran he has more than carried on, until now he is the main support of the team.

When the Terriers took to the track they found that two former Newton stars were in the fold. Winnie Mercer, the old relay man, and John Buswell, another middle distance runner. Winnie, when he was at High, was nearly a one man track team in the running events, for he could run anything up to the 1000 yard run, and was able to hurdle and broad jump with the best of them. His race against Clark of Huntington, when he pushed Clark to a new record that broke the former 300 yard mark by some full seconds, was one of the best ever turned in by a Newton school-boy. Buswell was captain of the varsity at Newton last year, showing considerable power in the dashes and the 300.

All athletic activities, with the exception of varsity hockey practice, will cease at the high school during the vacation period.

Leo Hughes, former Newton high and Boston College hockey star, has again been appointed coach of the Brookline high school sextet.

George Gore, "Red" Becker, and Stewart Day are showing up exceptionally well as forwards in the basketball practice sessions at the high school.

The first call for candidates for the high school swimming team was issued last week and nearly fifty promising mermen reported at the Y-pool on Monday. Last year's squad with the exception of Al Stein and Merrill Hammond are again available so that prospects are exceptionally good. The veterans include Ken Merrill, Lloyd Osborne, Jim Essen, Charles Green, Paul Serkin, Robert Greany, Norman Soule, Harry Lodge and "Bud" Perry. This year's team will be coached by S. A. Carling, former Y physical director and now a member of the high school faculty in the physical education department. Although swimming is a comparatively new sport at the high school, excellent teams have been turned out in the past two years. This year's outfit should be no exception and should be a strong contender for the Lieut. George R. Meehan trophy. Third place was annexed last year and Carling will make that meet his objective for the coming season.

Several Newton men have been recently appointed to positions on committees of the Massachusetts Golf Association for 1927. Former president A. L. Locke has been named as chairman of the advisory committee and former president William F. Garcelon has been named chairman of the State team committee as well as a member of Mr. Locke's committee. Harry L. Ayer is on the rules committee, S. Harold Greene on the tournament and caddie committees and William B. Hanna on the caddie committee.

Frank Cassidy of the Newton Y. M. C. A. wrestling team won his two bouts in the 135-lb. class in the novice wrestling tournament at the Boston Y last Saturday evening. He defeated Herbert Davis of the Boston association and R. Pike of the Lynn Y.

Two of Newton's representatives at Bowdoin College are candidates for the track team at the Brunswick institution. Harold Rising of Newton Centre is an excellent prospect for the relay team. Dana Blanchard, a senior, is also showing up well in practice.

Paul Hughes of Ricker road, Newton, is making quite a name for himself at the Peparatory school of Aquinas College. He is a former Newton high and Pals football player. "Doc," as he is more familiarly known, was the fullback on the prep school varsity eleven the past fall and although small in stature he more than made up for this handicap by his natural ability. His consistent performances won him a place on the All-star team. Hughes is also a track man of no mean ability and should have another good year on the boards. Some college in the East will be fortunate in having him enroll as a student next year as he finishes his studies in the Middle West in June.

On the Newton Y court last Saturday night the local association basketball team lost to the Lynn aggregation by a score of 33 to 18. The score does not indicate the closeness of the game, as the home five played its best game of the season and held the visitors on practically even terms for the greater part of the game. A slight lapse on the part of the Newton team and Captain Bowser and his mates from the shoe city flashed a rally which netted them six goals from the floor to clinch the game. Waldman and Hinch at the forward positions and Bowser at guard lead the visitors' attack with nine points, eight and eight points respectively . Kohler at Centre for Newton tallied seven points and Wellman at forward six. A shift in the line-up, putting Hardy at guard and Kohler at centre added greatly to the home team's defense as Hardy prevented many Lynn tallies.

During the halves of the Newton-Lynn Y first team game the second teams of each association met with the Lynn five emerging the victor 30 to 20. Connearny at forward was the leading Newton scorer with seven points.

The Church basketball league, consisting of teams representing six of the nearby churches has entered upon its fourth week and is again looking forward to a successful season. The Newtonville Methodist, Central Congregational, Watertown Baptist, Eliot Congregational, Needham Congregational, and the Watertown Methodist churches comprise the circuit. Games are played on Friday evenings at the Newton Y. M. C. A. court, except next week when two games are scheduled for Monday. The league standing:

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Newtonville Meth. ..	2	0	1.000
Eliot Cong.	2	0	1.000
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NEWS FROM THE COLLEGES

By Harold P. Carver, N. H. S. '26

Among the many schools in Boston town for the further education of women along the lines of art and furnishings is Miss Sacker's, located on Boylston street near Copley Square. Originally much smaller in size it has attained a great deal of prominence not only around Boston, but also in more distant parts of the country. The course consists of three years of work in the various lines of interior decorating or art crafts as the student may select. Under Miss Sacker's own personal supervision the courses are laid out with regard to the practical and the aesthetic sides and conceptions. Once a year, usually at the end of the spring term, an exhibition is held at which the work of the pupils are shown to the interested public. Many interesting pieces of antique, maps with their original designs, boxes, in a medley of colors, and other types of accomplishment are before the eyes of the casual passer-by. In fact, this was once called a finishing school, and its efforts to climb out of the slough of such a term have resulted in its placing the art of interior decorating on high plane by virtue of the careful and intelligent instruction it affords to the anxious beginner.

Helen Ball and Dorothy Drowne, both from the Highlands district of Newton, are completing their course in town this season. They each have shown particular skill in the lines of designing and some of their pieces have had high merit. Helen is a graduate of Choate School for Girls in Brookline, coming from there directly into Miss Sacker's. Dorothy Drowne, because of the dread fear of all students, sickness, never was able to attend school enough to meet the requirements in the amount of studying that had to be done. In 1924 after another set-back from the same cause she decided to enter in the art school, where she found herself as far as health and work goes. While at Newton she was interested in the variety of sciences offered in the courses, and did so well in them that she was elected to the new Nature Club in 1924, later being made secretary of the same organization.

In the second year group more Newton girls attended the classes for Dorothea Tichnor and Margaret 2Mackintosh enrolled at the school in the fall of 1925. Dorothea Tichnor, besides being one of the most socialistic members of her graduating class, was also interested in various activities of the school proper. She was enlisted in the cause of Alpha Gamma Tau in her junior year while the Spanish Club claimed her attention in her final terms. In athletics she made the Volley ball team for two years, and was a candidate for the varsity in field hockey. "Do" was one of the cast in the production of the senior play of the same year, taking one of the leading roles in "Twelfth Night," which, by the way, was the first effort of the combined schools, and also the first attempt at the presentation of a Shakespearian play by the students of the High School. Also in her last year she sang in the Glee Club, taking part that spring in the outdoor concert that was staged by Mr. Griffin. The other girl, Margaret Mackinosh, entered from the Girls Latin School, taking up her studies as a junior at the high school. She made the class basket-ball team in this year only to suffer an injury that kept her off the court for the rest of her high school course. In her junior year she was elected to the vice-presidency of the newly formed body known as the Nature Club, while in her final terms she was a member of the biggest organization of the school, the English Club. Mary Scofield, graduating in the same year as the two mentioned above, also enrolled in Miss Sacker's school. She was most athletically inclined, being on the class hockey team for three consecutive years, and later on the class basketball team. In her junior season she became a member of the Mathematics Club, and did the major portion of the drawing of posters for the various activities that produced plays that year, or years following.

This fall saw two more Newtonians trek into Boston and sign themselves as pupils of Miss Sacker, namely, Eleanor Newton and Ruth Pearson. Both of these girls had shown great ability along the lines of art and design, Eleanor or "Stubby," having been the designer of the graduating dress model that was chosen because of its simplicity and its effectiveness. Stubby joined the Glee Club in her senior year while at the same time she was on the Newtonian in the closing months of the same term. In her junior year she was elected to the Spanish Club, which at that time was being newly organized under Miss Lewis' care. Under the guidance of Miss Ell's she became most skillful in the line of drawing posters and making them most effective. Some of her work was of such an exceptional quality that passers-by have asked what artist was inveigled into drawing that particular design for the play. Ruth Pearson was one of the best athletes in the High School, playing for four years on the class hockey team, and making the varsity team three of those four seasons, being elected manager her final year at the school. She also played class basket-ball her first year at Newton, while in the spring-time she gave herself whole-heartedly up to the spring sport, baseball. The team found her one of the strongest players even from her freshman days, and she played for four years on this organization. In the scholastic cauldron she mixed herself into the affairs of Alpha Gamma Tau for three years, having a splendid mathematical record.

Along with news that Sam Moore had received the appointment to Annapolis, if he can pass the examinations that come in the early part of June, comes the announcement that he will in all probability leave college at the end of the first semester in order to study the particular lines that the navy questions will cover. He is doing well with his college work, but feels that some brushing up on the back work that he has not drilled on would do him some good. His room-mate, Philip Jacobs, was taken ill and forced to leave Cornell. He has not fully recovered as yet and does not intend to re-enter until the fall of 1927 when he will start his studies all over again.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS

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MERRY CHRISTMAS!

How many times we say these words, each year, and in the gathering accumulation of years! Sometimes it is a parrot phrase; more often, fortunately, it comes from the heart in wellwishing to those we love or count among our friends. But your editor finds a satisfaction in analyzing this good wish, in what it means to her, and does to all, if they but give it heed. Is it not the underlying longing of all people that sorrow may be changed to joy, that pain may be changed to healing, that suffering may find its peace and comfort based upon the wonderful story of Him whose life was one of sorrows that joy, and healing, and peace and comfort, might come to all mankind?

And we give gifts! So did the three Wise Men of Old, whose understanding made them journey from widely separated lands to pay their reverent tribute, incense, myrrh, jewels—a thousand symbols of treasures of the heart and of the material. Their gifts were for the years, not for a day, and we should sometimes give pause to consider this. Not for a day in material gift should we serve the world or those we hold most dear, but daily, for each of the 365 in which our material year is now divided, we should seek to give of our individual talents, or graces, or affections, or "plain labors," that we may be a source of everlasting joy in the lives of those we lovingly, loyally serve, and in the world in which we find our place. Give gifts, yes—the gift of self that is the individual creation. Wish happiness, too, that all sorrow may pass away! For this is truly Christmas—not the Christmas of paganism, or of idolatry, or of selfish material gain.

RECENT EVENTS

West Newton Women's Educational Club

A delightful program was that of last Friday afternoon, the 17th, at the West Newton Women's Educational Club in Players' Small Hall, and what pleasure the Club members took in having so many "little" guests present at the Christmas Party! While waiting for Santa Claus' arrival the children were entertained by stories of "Mrs. Santa Claus" and "The Pine Tree" told by Mrs. S. E. Lewis; by a dance by Ruth Holbrook, duets by Julia and Priscilla Bacon, and a cornet solo by Ruth Ufford. Goldy and Dusty, (Julia and Priscilla Bacon) in their song and dance were very pleasing; then all joined in singing "O Come, All Ye Faithful," aided and abetted by the charming cornet accompaniment of Ruth Ufford. Mrs. Lewis' story of "The Barn-yard" with the clever imitations of different animals was excellent.

Just then arrived Santa Claus, "How glad I am to see you all," he said. How happy all were to see him, to hear about his trip to West Newton, and to watch the fun of distributing the presents! After much merry-making Santa departed.

Love for children, the desire to make them happy, plus fun-loving qualities, make an ideal Santa Claus, which was found in Newton's own Mr. W. A. Richardson.

Finally, to make a glad occasion complete, refreshments for the children were served in the tea room, at attractively decorated tables.

Newton Centre Woman's Club

Speaking of Jazz—Prof. Robert E. Rogers in his second address before the Newton Centre Woman's Club on the 16th roused curiosity as to its merits, and its relationship to the equally modern free verse. He surely reconciled some—if not all his hearers—to the free verse of Vachel Lindsey, at least, when he read aloud: "The Congo." Certainly we are living in a new and most interesting era, and fortunate we are, that there are interpreters among us to make meanings plain. Professor Rogers has the gift of the ready—one might almost say the inspired interpreter—and the Club is indebted to the chairman of the Literature committee, Mrs. Norman Pratt, for giving it the opportunity for hearing so fine a reader and commentator.

COMING EVENTS

Newton Centre Woman's Club

Not only has the chairman of the music committee prepared a very appealing program for the closing meeting of 1926, but the Moving Picture Committee, Mrs. F. H. Colony, chairman, announces the usual picture program for Christmas Day—both afternoon and evening—as the date falls on Saturday, the regular picture day.

It would need the genius of an epic poet to describe Saturday afternoon at "The Club Movies."

The ladies who act as policemen are the only silent ones. O no! Their staunch friend and helper, the real policeman, Mr. Dolan, is another. These all move gravely(?) and noiselessly(?) among the aisles. We say "gravely" because it's doo dark to see the smiles on their faces when little Johnnie Sweeny in the front row is calling frantically to the hero on the screen—to "Look Behind You, Mister!" at the lion who is stalking him. And we say "noiselessly" because none of the Johnnies and Angelos and Augustines who fill the seats, hear them try to "hush" them into silence when—four hundred strong, they yell their cheers to the triumph of virtue, and justice.

At such times the responsible ones say, as all good soldiers have said before, "'Tis a great life if you don't weaken."

Newton Highlands C. L. S. C.

Mrs. William E. Leonard opens her home, 25 Canterbury road, on Monday afternoon, December 27th, for the Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. Mrs. Hiram A. Miller will read a paper on Herbert Hoover's "American Individualism," after which, discussion, questions, and comments will make the book the hearer's own for a long time.

Auburndale Review Club

"The Yosemite" will be described in a paper by Mrs. Wicklyffe J. Spaulding to the members of the Auburndale Review Club at their next meeting, Tuesday morning, the 28th, at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Spaulding is also hostess for the meeting at her home, 429 Wolcott street.

Newton Centre Woman's Club

Wednesday evening, December 29th, is the date set for the Young People's Holiday Assembly at the Newton Centre Woman's Club. Mrs. Rollo Hudson, chairman, has planned many unique features, and with the unexcelled music of Haffermehl's Orchestra a wonderful time is promised for all who attend.

The regular monthly business meeting will be held on Thursday, December 30th, at 2.30 P.M. Daughters of Club members are cordially invited to be present. The program which is to be furnished by artists of the Newton Centre Woman's Club is in the hands of Mrs. H. A. Nissen, chairman of the Music Committee, and includes such well-known talent as Mrs. David Beyer: Songs, and Mrs. Moses H. Gulesian, Piano.

All those interested in forming a Club Chorus under a competent trained leader, are invited to communicate with Mrs. Nissen, chairman of Music committee, as a date will shortly be announced for the organization of such a chorus.

Social Science Club

"Dress and the Personal Equation" is the fascinating title of a paper to be given by Miss Dorothy S. Emmons, a member, at the next meeting of the Social Science Club, Wednesday morning, the 29th. The meeting is at 10 o'clock, as usual, in the Hunnewell Club Parlors. Study on these lines is not only conducive to much knowledge that may make for attractiveness, and charm, combined with economy and practicality, but develops amazing possibilities as to personal type, that will draw as a magnet for further information on the part of the seeker after good taste and beauty in dress.

Auburndale Woman's Club

The next meeting of the Auburndale Woman's Club will be held on Thursday afternoon, December 30th at the Club house, when Rev. Chaskar P. Hivale will speak on "India, the Land of Contrast." The Chorus will add to the entertainment, and tea will be served in the social hour that is always so enjoyed. Dr. Hivale in his lecture justly brings out both strong and weak points in the British rule of India, and is keenly analytical of ancient Hindoo customs as contrasted with the more modern western importations. He is said to have a keen sense of humor, which will not detract from the enjoyment of what he has to tell.

Auburndale Study Club

Christmas meeting, December 29th at 8 P. M., at the home of Miss Josephine Hart, 2121 Commonwealth Ave. (corner of Melrose St.). Speaker, Mrs. Hector Gal. Subject—"Legends of Christmas and Christmas Carols," illustrated on her violin.

Dramatics

Clubwomen who delight in amateur performances will be interested in two announcements of such plays by Clubs in the vicinity—one given by the President's Club, many members of which are in the Newtons, and one to be given at Alumnae Hall, Wellesley College, by the Wellesley Hills Woman's Club, arrangements for which are in the capable charge of Miss Carolyn Peck, vice chairman of the State Department of Press and Publicity. The news that this latter is open to guests will be most welcome to many Club women who would enjoy going.

"Old Lady Thirty-One" is the play to be given by the Presidents' Club at Copley Theatre, Boston, on the afternoon of January 5th, Wednesday. Members of the Dorchester Woman's Club, who have a reputation of being "professionals", for their many successful productions, are to play the parts. The cost of tickets is only to help defray expenses, being fifty cents. So many of the Clubs do not hold meetings in Newton before that date that this information is given through this column. Mrs. Herbert E. Child, 1146 Chestnut Street, Newton Upper Falls, Treasurer of the Presidents' Club, will be glad to supply tickets to all who desire them, but she will be gladder yet if each Club in Newton, through its President, or other authorized person, will take the orders in her own section of the city, then send it in one order to her. ATTENTION OF CLUB PRESIDENTS is therefore called to this unusual and delightful opportunity.

"Pomander Walk" is the charming play, sponsored by the Wellesley Hills Woman's Club for the evening of the same date, at the College at 8 o'clock. These tickets are one dollar to guests. This does not include the dance and reception and refreshments to follow, which tickets, if sold to other than members, are one dollar. Tickets may be obtained at the door that evening, or Miss Peck of Wellesley Hills will answer inquiries and take orders.

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State Federation

The Christmas season naturally turns one's thoughts to the spiritual things of life, and study is the only way in which reward may come to one in this search that calls to all mankind, in a longing for proof, or for comfort, in something beyond this material state. Mrs. Philip Henry Tirrell, State Federation Chairman of Literature, has supplied a list that will be opportune for the Club woman seeking the Bible as Literature. Any of the following books may be obtained from Mrs. Harry W. Rice, 3940 Ritchfield Road, Minneapolis, Minnesota, at a small cost:

"The Women of the Bible" by Isabella Reid Buchanan.

"Book of Job"—outline study by Mrs. A. J. Barkley.

"The Books of the Old Testament" by John Scrimger.

"The Books of the New Testament" by Buchanan.

"Prophets"—with Sidelights from Sacred Art, Literature, and Music, by Buchanan.

"Beacon Lights of Prophecy" by Prof. Knudson.

"A Literary Guide to the Bible" by Laura H. Wild.

"The Religion of Israel" by George Barton.

"Introduction to the Old Testament" by John E. McFadyen.

"The Old Testament in the Light of To-day" by W. F. Bade.

The list should be an inspiration, also, to Literature or Education Committees who are looking for interests for their Classes.

In looking forward to the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs' annual meeting at Swampscott next May, the Music Department of the Federation, under the direction of Mrs. F. Otis Drayton, chairman, is suggesting plans for a music pageant to be given on one of the evenings of the convention. To depict the historic epochs of music in America Mrs. Drayton feels will bring forth much of interest in action, color and rhythm. Beginning with Indian music and following with music of Puritan days when only chants were allowed in churches; the religious hymns of the Pilgrims, Colonial, Negro, Pioneer, and Present Day music will each be given an episode.

The plan is to have each of the fifteen districts of the Federation represented. The districts near Boston will be able to send the larger groups, but there are to be places for the small groups from the more distant parts of the state. There will be choruses, solos, and an orchestra of women. The 5th, 9th, and 11th districts have already started their committee work.

The objects of this pageant are the presentation of good music to stimulate an appreciation of American music and musicians among the Club women of the state; to stimulate the creative talent of our Club women and to emphasize the fact that simplicity

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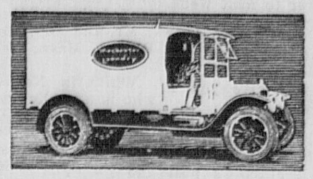
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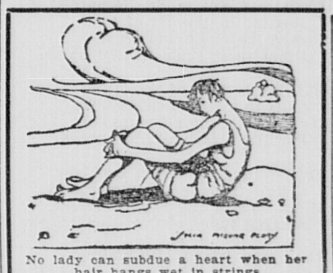
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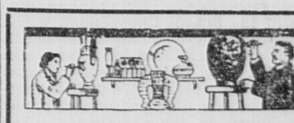
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EDITORIALS

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On account of the congestion of the mails, the GRAPHIC goes to press several hours earlier this week and the usual Friday morning news will have to be carried over to next week.

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You will not get anything out of Christmas unless you put something into it of love and good will. Making someone else glad will give you a Merry Christmas, also.

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The attention of Brother Temperley of the Town Crier is invited to the fact that Alderman Heathcote's post office address is Waban.

W. C. T. U.

The Christmas party of the West Newton W. C. T. U. at the home of Mrs. Hovenden last Monday night was a social and much enjoyed meeting. Gifts for every one present, carol singing and solos by Mr. Barnes, furnished the evening's entertainment. Mrs. Hovenden was assisted by Mrs. Ella Hall.

A number of the members of the West Newton W. C. T. U. went on Wednesday to the Boston Flower Mission and helped to carry Christmas Cheer to the poor and needy.

CHRISTMAS TREE PAGEANT AT WEST NEWTON

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ics and pink caps, trimmed with tinsel. Groups of boy and girl carollers, wearing red capes and caps brought up the rear of the procession. Conspicuous among the marchers was the Junior Choir of the Second Church dressed in white cottas, red cassocks and caps. The choirmaster of this organization rendered valuable assistance in training the carollers.

The first number in the pageant was the singing of "Torches Bring Jeanette, Isabella," as the participants grouped around the tree. Then followed the drill "The Dancing Christmas Trees" by the little girls of the "Bide a Wee Club," dressed in tinsel decorated green costumes and carrying bells. The first pantomime was "Deck the Hall" by members of the Wide Awake Club, who wore orange aprons and hoods trimmed with red, and who scattered sprigs of holly as they danced around the Yule Log. The second pantomime "God Rest You Merry Gentlemen" introduced several of the characters made famous by Charles Dickens. Four merry observers of Christmas were grouped about a fire place and in the distance "Scrooge" held aloof, but he too, to the joy of the others finally was seized with something of the Spirit of Christmas. These characters were assumed by Allan Bishop, Dan Ferguson, Redmond Gannon, Walter Dolan and James McAdams. The third pantomime, "The Wassail Song" was given by seven girls of the "Golden Rule Club," Marjorie Spurr, Catherine McComisky, Lillian McComisky, Dorothy Eschelbach, Leona Trask, Muriel Hooper and Mary Driscoll.

The unremitting efforts of Miss Hattiemae Austin, Supervisor of the West Newton Community Centre and the large committee of women, including directors of the organization and ladies of the village who assisted, were supplemented by the co-operation of the School Department, which permitted the rehearsing of the carols by the school children for some weeks past, Mr. Leon Baldwin, who directed the singing, the Playground Department, and the different organizations that joined in the observance. The Newton Rotary Club donated 200 boxes of candy, which were distributed to the children by members of this club. Assisting in the instrumental numbers were Priscilla Speare and Elsa Brandt, trumpeters, Frederic Rice and Allan Cooke, saxophones.

Following the pageant the Little Club House on the Playground was open for inspection. A number of the directors served as hostesses.

GOLDEN WEDDING

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The wedding of Mr. Moore and Miss Addie S. Howard took place December 26, 1876 at Ilion, N. Y., and was performed by Rev. L. Golden. Two sisters of Mr. Moore, Ida A. Moore and Ella D. Moore of Waltham, are the only other persons now living who attended the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore have resided in Palmer, Mass., Newtonville and Newton.

While in Newtonville, Mr. Moore, who is a public accountant, was active in organizing the Newtonville Trust Co. and was its first president. He was deeply interested in Central Church, aided in its incorporation and served as its treasurer and still retains his membership in that church. He has also been active in fraternal bodies. He assisted in the organization of Newton Lodge of Elks, has membership card No. 1, and has served as a trustee. He is a member of Fraternity Lodge of Masons, Newton Royal Arch Chapter, Washington Council of Palmer, Gethsemane Commandery, K. T., Aleppo Temple, Palestine Chapter, Eastern Star and Messiah Shrine, Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem. He is also interested in the Newton Y. M. C. A. and the Boston Congregational Club.

Mrs. Moore is active in the auxiliary work for the Y. M. C. A. is an honorary president of the Newton Auxiliary, and a member of the executive committee of the Auxiliaries of Massachusetts and Rhode Island. She is a member of Immanuel Baptist Church, Newton, a member of Palestine Chapter, Eastern Star and of Messiah Shrine, Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem, the Authors' Club, and of the Newton Community Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore have been blessed with a large family of children, all but one of whom are living. They are Bessie Moore Pickersgill, Dr. Howard Moore, Bertha Moore, Harold Moore, Walter Moore, Fannie Moore McClelland, Louise Moore Welsh and Helene Moore, all residents of Newton and Gladys Moore Leighton of Somerville.

It is of interest to note that Mr. and Mrs. Moore have been constant readers of the Graphic for the thirty-two years they have lived in this city.

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A tone-picture of beauty rare
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In its sad but pleasing way,
Heralding the Christ-child's coming
With His gifts on Christmas Day.
H. L. Lynch, '24.

Selection rendered by Organist Henley and Violinist Miss Pucciarelli, at the Midnight Mass on Christmas Eve, 1924, at St. Bernard's Church, West Newton.

CITY HALL NOTES

The Aldermen held a caucus before the meeting Monday night and nominated C. Sinclair Weeks as President of the Board for the coming year. John Madden was re-nominated for Vice-President. There was no opposition. Mr. Weeks was placed in nomination by Alderman Thomas M. Gallagher.

Patrick FitzSimmons, the popular night watchman of City Hall, who has been ill for several weeks, is improving and will probably return to work next month.

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SCHOOL NOTES

Stearns School

In a recent number of the Journal of the National Education Association appeared an article by Miss Margaret M. Alltucker, assistant director of the Research Division of the Association, entitled, "Repression versus Expression."

It is obvious that we have been following Miss Alltucker's theory of expression for many years and are stimulating and encouraging our pupils to grow by providing for them through a rich and suggestive environment, activities in which they joyously engage.

The Christmas season provides an atmosphere of joyous, spontaneous activity and our children have risen to the occasion with masterly expression.

The Assemblies on Wednesday and Thursday were the culmination of several weeks of planning and practice by our pupils.

In many instances the children planned and carried to a conclusion some of our most interesting festivities.

The committees on decorations should be complimented for the spectacular color schemes of reds and greens which were not at all overdone for the Christmas season.

The carols were sung as never before and much credit is given the teachers who helped the chorus at rehearsals.

On Wednesday morning one hundred and twenty children of the upper grade classes attended the carol singing at Perkins Institution in Watertown. It was indeed a rare Christmas treat and one the children will long remember. Dwight Hall was beautifully decorated with pine, hemlock, and holly.

The pupils were especially attracted by the two large trees ornamented with red and blue lights which adorned each side of the stage platform, giving it a well balanced and finished effect.

At ten-thirty o'clock as the chimes in the belfry rang out the Antiphonae carol, the choir of the upper school filed in and occupied the centre platform. A few minutes later the children's choir of the lower school filled the choir loft at the back of the hall.

As the organist played the opening bars of an old French Christmas song, the members of the choir rose and sang carol after carol with expression and feeling.

The first part of the program consisting of the old familiar carols was greatly enjoyed by our pupils and inspired them to attain a higher degree of proficiency in singing the same carols in their Christmas assemblies.

The children greatly enjoyed a cantata which concluded the program and many expressed appreciation of a joyous and profitable morning.

Hyde School

The Christmas entertainment this year at the Hyde was in the form of a musical play entitled "Is Santa Claus a Fraud?" Lovely in costume and beautiful in thought, the scene presented a courtroom trial for Santa to prove whether or not he is a fake. While the council for prosecution awaited the time to state his sentence, Santa's Jury of Peers were announced one by one by the crier. These were Mother Goose, the Sandman, Jack Frost, the May Queen, and other lovely symbols of the spirit of life. Santa, the prisoner, was then brought in, escorted by heralds, mistletoe and holly. The verdict was pronounced not guilty, proclaiming that Santa Claus is the great Spirit of Christmas loved by all. The characters were as follows:

Crier, Joseph Hamlin; Usher, Albert Stevens; Counsel for the Prosecution, Albert Haberstroh; Counsel for the Defendant, Philip Trowbridge; Father Time, Warren Hilton; Mother Goose, Ruth Weeks; Sandman, Robert Sullivan; Pierrot, Elizabeth Hovey; May Queen, Elizazeth Drowne; Jack Frost, Lois Woodworth; Doll, Catherine Martin; Jack O' Lantern, Richard Hennessy; Saint Valentine, Thelma Terkelson; Fairy, Constance Marcy; April Fool, Margaret McKenna; Goddess of Liberty, Elizabeth Kolb; The Judge, Young America, Bradford Riley; The Prisoner, Santa Claus, Warren Colby; Santa's Heralds, Holly and Mistletoe, Josephine Campbell, Virginia Nichols; Chorus of Christmas Waits, Owen Collins, Paul Lambert, Jack Haughey; Children, from Miss Ryder's Class; Dame Rumor, Josephine Turnbull; History, Virginia Weed; Tradition, Marguerite Russo; Poetry, Adele Moore; Folk Lore, Pearl Merriam.

The program for the lower grades, which consisted of carol singing, solos, and recitations by different children, was greatly enjoyed by those who heard it. A Christmas party was held separately for the Kindergarten children who received gifts and entertained with music and recitations.

The Christmas atmosphere has been noticeably present in our school. The rooms were attractively decorated with wreathes, candles, bells, evergreens and window glows. In the lower grades the children were industriously at work on the decorations and their accomplishments have been for us all to enjoy. Many of the rooms were also bright and merry with Christmas trees. The sewing classes likewise have had the Christmas spirit making pretty and useful gifts.

The community and Christmas spirit will shine forth from the boys and girls of our 7th and 8th grades when they gather around the large community tree in the Square for carol singing on Christmas Eve.

The State Arithmetic Tests have been enjoyed in our school this month.

We are proud to show the progress made in our weight record this month, in so much as the following rooms have a gold star rather than any "red" per cent: The kindergarten; Miss Green and Miss Lewis, Grades I; Miss Dow, Grade II; Miss Jewett, Grade III; Miss Sampson, Grade IV; and Miss Green, Grade V.

Mason School

The Christmas spirit fills the Mason. It shines from the many window candles to each gayly decorated class room. It shines in the happy faces of boys and girls who, forgetting lessons, send many a longing look at pictures of Santa and his reindeer.

The hall is the popular place these days. To it, came the Kindergartners for their festivities on Wednesday last. The little ones marched in in costume wearing red caps with white pompoms and tassels. Their program was as follows:

Carol singing, the Orchestra, dramatization of the animals' Christmas; distribution of gifts from the tree trimmed by the children.

The fifth grades of the Mason on Thursday presented the following program:

Flag Salute, "Star Spanged Banner"; Tableau, "We Three Men of Orient Are"; Carol, "O Little Town of Bethlehem"; Playette, "The Dream Dolls"; Carol, "Silent Night"; Tableau, "Away in a Manger"; Poem, "The Birds' Christmas Carol," by Lloyd Bergerson; Carol, "O Come, All Ye Faithful."

Grade Eight furnished the following entertainment to the upper classes on Thursday:

"Star Spangled Banner," Flag Salute; "A Children's Pageant of Christmas"; Scene, The Carollers and Santa; School Singing: "Noel." "O Little Town of Bethlehem."

Angier School

The pupils of the Angier School held their Christmas celebration Wednesday morning. A dramatization entitled "Help Wanted! Mrs. Santa Claus," was given by children from the different grades. This was followed by a wonderful gift-giving on the part of the school. All the classes marched to the front of the hall and heaped on the platform their Christmas offering in the form of toys, clothing, fruit, candy, preserves, everything ever imagined to gladden the hearts of children. It was a very impressive sight and the total given was just as wonderful. After the entertainment all the things were sorted over and on Thursday morning had been distributed in Newton; in most cases, directly to families where they would bring most joy and comfort. The Angier School pupils should have a Merry Christmas for they gave one to many others.

The dramatization might fitly have been called "The Spirit of Giving." The chief characters were: Santa Claus, Paul Rycroft; Mrs. Santa Claus, Elsie Stephen; Spirit of Giving, Eleanor Denham; Spirit of Receiving, Olive Heathcote; King Coal, Jacob Mosser; Queen Wood, Louise Came; Jack Frost, Katherine Offert; Sam Snow, Walter Burnett; Crystal Ice, Richard Clements.

Sunbeams—Virginia Hardy, Molly Soule, Beth Moger, Ruth Wheater, Elaine Hamlin, Phyllis Johnson, Madeline Proctor, Jean Davis, Ann Shea.

Health Fairies—Polly Klotz, Eliot Rogers, Barbara Cutting, Marcia Fallon, Arthur Robbins, Sally Mosser, Helen Cecilia Peirce, James Bierer, Priscilla Tobey.

Elves — Aldrich Prouty, Vernon Phipps, Dick Touseley, Winthrop Fletcher, Junior Buttrick, William Croker.

Carol Singers—Sam Davis, John McGrath, Joseph Shaw, Brenton Bullock, Charles Bullock, Junior Newbert, Robert Nichois, Bobby White, Donald Robbins, Richard Stanwood.

The play, which represented Santa's home and workshops showed Santa turning over to Mrs. Claus the Christmas work because he had found himself unable to satisfy everybody. His good wife enlists the aid of Sunbeams, Health Fairies, and Elves. The elves are seen all through the play busily engaged in making toys in Santa's workshop.

The carolers, led by Sam Davis, were greatly enjoyed by the audience. Paul Rycroft and Elsie Stephen as Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus, Eleanor Dunham as the Spirit of Giving, and Olive Heathcote, as the Spirit of Receiving, were specially good.

Sewall Champian, Arthur Marquardt, Vincent Estabrook, and Robert Patterson, did their part by making many of the stage properties.

The play was written by, and produced under the direction of, Mr. Penny.

The pupils of the Fourth Grade, Miss Jones' room, have been having a spelling contest. Rhoda Garrison won the book, given as a prize.

The 8th grade have received their class pins and presented pins to Mr. Penny and their teachers.

The kindergarten had its Christmas party at nine o'clock, Thursday.

N. H. S.

The holiday vacation began yesterday at noon. School will be resumed on Monday, January 3rd.

Tuesday afternoon the faculty held a Christmas party in the music hall, formerly the library of the Technical building. Nearly every member of the high school teaching force and the authorities, Mr. Wheeler, Mr. Bacon, and Miss Bragg, and others, attended. A luncheon and social affair, with music by the school orchestra, was followed by a Christmas play by pupils of the school. Each one present was given a present by a Santa Claus. The newer members of the faculty were introduced to the other teachers and a good time was had by all.

On Wednesday afternoon the members of the various student clubs held the annual Christmas party with a large attendance. Refreshments, singing and entertainment were enjoyed.

On Tuesday and Wednesday mornings the student held assemblies at which Mr. Palmer spoke and Christmas carols were sung. The senior and junior classes met on Tuesday and the two lower classes on Wednesday.

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Newton Centre, Troop 3—Lieutenant McCoy, Flower Finder, Pioneer, Child Nurse, Path Finder; Virginia Bloom, Health Winner; Phoebe Gretsch, Health Winner, Child Nurse, Craftsman, Canner, Home Service, Musician, Laundress; Janet Hill, Health Winner; Carol Moses, Pioneer; Helen Randlett, Hostess Pathfinder; Sylvia Riley, Health Winner; Betty Tucker, Health Winner; Patience Widger, Health Winner; Priscilla Widger, Health Winner, Musician; Helen Wilder, First Aid; Anne Kendall, Pathfinder; Catherine Hayden, Pathfinder; Nancy Donovan, Pathfinder; Martha Farmer, Pathfinder; Alene Potter, Pathfinder; Lois Nivling, Laundress; Lois Martin, Laundress.

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Waban, Troop 4—Marjorie Cadey, Pioneer, Craftsman; Eleanor Denham, Craftsman, Scholarship.

Troop 14—Elizabeth Adams, First Aid, Craftsman, Patty Burnham, Craftsman; Eleanor Burnham, Swimmer, Pioneer, Child Nurse; Marion Frost, Pioneer; Dorothy Jordan, First Aid; Mary Stephens, Scholarship, Craftsman, Pioneer; Marjorie Whitaker, Pioneer, Flower Finder, Swimmer; Janice Upham. Pioneer, Canner; Carol Upham, Craftsman; Charlotte Upham, Pioneer.

West Newton, Troop 5—Jannette Ramee, Hostess; Barbara Smith, First Aid.

Troop 15—Elsa Brandt, Needlewoman, Dressmaker, Flower Finder; Priscilla Bacon, Swimmer; Venilla Colson, Health Winner; Barbara Eaton, Cook; Mary Alice Eaton, Scholarship; Ruth Houghton, Laundress, First Aid; Lisbeth Leighton, Woodcraft; Edith Wilcox, First Aid, Citizen.

Upper Falls, Troop 7—Esther Batey, Laundress; Lillian Daen, Laundress; Lillian Frost, Laundress; Ruth Silgman, Laundress; Priscilla Sawyer, Laundress; Eleanor Vara, Laundress.

Troop 17—Marion Bridey, Home Nurse, First Aid; Helen Dolloff, Interpreter; Florence Sullivan, Dressmaker, Needlewoman; Alice Shaw, Interpreter; Dorothy Wright, Needlewoman, Dressmaker, Home Nurse; Esther Temperley, Interpreter, Home Nurse; Anna Sullivan, Home Nurse.

Auburndale, Troop 8—Mary Schipper, First Aid; Shirley Williams, Swimmer.

Troop 18—Elizabeth Henrich, Pioneer; Mary Miller, Pioneer.

Newton Highlands, Troop 11—Elizabeth Hovey, Pioneer; Mary Schirmer, Home Service; Josephine Turnbull, Child Nurse.

Troop 21—Mary Carrick, Flower Finder, Craftsman; Catherine Carrick, Athlete, Swimmer, Photographer, Child Nurse; Ruth Cobleigh, Photographer; Alice Gallagher, Scholarship; Barbara Nichols, Photographer; Catherine Thompson, Pioneer, Craftsman; Betty Skelton, Athlete.

Five Year Service Stripes: Troop 13— Priscilla Hudson, Priscilla Spears; Troop 14 — Helen Warren, Carol Upham, Mary Chandler, Ethel Richards, Eleanor Burnham, Marion Frost.

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Orison Hymn, "Thou didst leave Thy Throne" — Matthews
Gloria in Excelsis, Old Chant
Recessional, It came upon the midnight clear — Willis
Postlude, "Hallelujah Chorus" (Messiah) — Handel

Sunday after Christmas
Prelude, "Pastoral Symphony" (Messiah) — Handal
Processional, O come all ye faithful — Hales
Venite a Gloria, Gregorian — Tonus Peregrinus
Te Deum, "Festival in E flat" — Buck
Jubilate, Gregorian — Tone VIII
Intruit Anthem, The People that walked in darkness — Galbraith
Hymn, Thou didst leave Thy throne — Matthews
Offertory Anthem, "Sing O Daughter of Zion" — Stevenson
Recessional, Joy fills our inmost hearts — Gadsby
Postlude, "For unto us a Child is born" (Messiah) — Handel

Choir
Vested choir of 20 mixed voices, Marian White Bartlett soprano, Mrs. T. B. Reed contralto, Mr. J. A. Mitchell, tenor, Mr. T. B. Reed, bass, Wm. G. Hambleton, organist and choirmaster.

St. Paul's Church, Newton Highlands
Christmas Eve. at 11.30, Organ Recital, Mr. E. Lewis Dunham, Organist, assisted with violin and 'cello. At 11.45, Holy Communion, Sermon and special music.

Christmas Day, Holy Communion at 7 A. M., with Hospital Carol Service and Choir Breakfast in the Parish Crypt.

Sunday, Dec. 26. Holy Communion at 8 A. M. and Morning Prayer with Sermon and Christmas Music at 10.45.

Trinity Church, Newton Centre Christmas Music
Christmas Eve
7.30 P. M. Carol Service
Processional: "O little town of Bethlehem"
Carols: "The Song of the Angels" — 18th Century
"Sleep of the Child Jesus" — Gevaert
"Bring a torch, Jeanette, Isabella" — Old French
"The Shepherd's Christmas Song" — 18th Century
Recessional, "It came upon the midnight clear"

Christmas Day
8.00 A. M. Holy Communion
Singing of Hymns and Carols
10.45 A. M. Morning Prayer and Holy Communion
Organ Prelude: "Rhapsodie sur les Noels" — Gigout
"The Infant Jesus" — Yon
Processional: "Adeste Fideles"
"Clory to God in the Highest" — Pergolesi
"Lullay, Thou tiny Child" — Coventry Carol
Te Deum in E — Parker
"Hallelujah Chorus" (Messiah) — Handel
Recessional: "O little town of Bethlehem"

Sunday Evening, December 26
7.15 P. M. Special Service of Music by Trinity Choir
Christmas Carols, Traditional and Modern.
Leland A. Arnold, Organist and Choirmaster

St. Paul's Newton Highlands
Christmas Eve at 11.30. Organ Recital and Holy Communion with address and Memorial for the Departed.
Christmas Day. Holy Communion at 7 A. M. with Newton Hospital Carol Service following.
Sunday, December 26th. Holy Communion at 8 A. M., Morning Prayer and Sermon at 10.45. Christmas Eve musical program repeated.

Order of Service
Christmas Eve, 11.30 P. M.
Organ Recital (15 minutes)
Processional, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear"
Kyrie — Barnby
Gloria Tibi — Woodward
Hymn, "Calm on the Listening Ear"
Dedicatory Hymn, "Little Town of Bethlehem"
Anthem, "Arise, Shine, O Zion" — Snyder-Turner
Doxology
Solo Hymn, "Tarry With Me"
Sursum Corda — Merbecke
Sanctus — Merbecke
Communion Hymn, "Bread of the World"
Gloria in Excelsis — Old Chant
Recessional, "Angels from the Realms of Glory"
Postlude

Church of the Messiah Auburndale, Mass.
Christmas Day, 8 A. M.
Processional 76, "Christians, Awake, Salute the Happy Morn"
Shorter Kyrie — Winter
Gloria Tibi — Tours
Laus Christe — Tours
Hymn 73, "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing"
Anthem, "There Were Shepherds" — Vincent
Doxology
Sanctus — Field
Communion Hymn 78, "O little Town of Bethlehem" (vs. 1, 3, and 4)
Gloria in Excelsis — Old Chant
Amen — Dresden
Nunc Dimmittis, Chant 51, page 755 — Barnby
Recessional 72, "O Come, All Ye Faithful"

December 26, 1926, 11 A. M.
Processional 72, "O Come, All Ye Faithful"
Carol, "While by my Sheep" — 17th Century
Kyrie — Moir
Gloria Tibi — King Hall
Laus Christe — King Hall
Hymn 79, "It Came upon the Midnight Clear"
Anthem, "Christ is Born, the Great Anointed" — Avery-Mozart
Doxology
Sanctus — Moir
Communion Hymn 84, "Calm on the Listening Ear of Night" (Vs. 1, 2, and 6)
Hymn 75, "Shout the Glad Tidings"
Amen — Twofold
Nunc Dimmittis, Chant 50, p. 754 — Farrant
Recessional 77, "Sing, O Sing, this Blessed Morn"

Vested choir of thirty boys, women and men, Miss Eva Robinson, soprano; Mrs. Louise Willson, mezzo-soprano; Mr. F. C. Stearns, tenor; Mr. J. Corwin Wright, baritone; Mr. Charles Burgess, bass. Raymond Sikes, organist and choirmaster.

RABIES IN NEWTON

The State Department of Public Health reported on Monday that the head of a dog which had been owned by C. M. Olcott, 208 Dedham street, Newton Highlands, had been examined and found to show indications of rabies.

Saturday night Richard Murphy, 93 High street, Waltham, reported to the police that he had been bitten by a dog owned by V. C. Lawrence of 11 Morrill street, West Newton. The police ordered the owner to restrain the dog and notified Dr. C. A. Boutelle, City Veterinarian, to examine it.

THE SECOND CHURCH
WEST NEWTON

10.50 A. M. Morning Worship.

Dr. Clayton R. Bowen will preach.

10.00 A. M. Church School.

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West Newton

—Mr. Louie A. Bacon of Waltham street is ill at the Newton Hospital.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert K. Hallett of Highland street, are spending the Christmas week-end with relatives in New York City.

—Rev. Dr. Clayton R. Bowen of the Readville Theological School will preach next Sunday morning at the Second church.

—Miss Barbara Hallett left December 16 for Jacksonville, Florida, to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. L. B. Howe of that city.

—The young ladies of the Misses Allen School are again giving a Christmas dinner to the Pomroy Home children. The School closed on Tuesday for 2 weeks.

—Miss Marguerite Hatch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Hatch of Prince street is at the Newton Hospital, where she is recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

—On New Year's eve, the Rev. and Mrs. Paul S. Phalen will receive members of the parish and their friends from 4.30 to 6 P. M. in the parish house, corner Washington and Highland streets.

—The Misses Louise Lovejoy, Charlotte Mason, Emma Tomlinson, and Katherine Woods have returned from Skidmore college for the holidays. Miss Lovejoy had the part of the angel in the Christmas play this year.

—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Perry Charlton Jr., formerly of Fall River, and now permanent residents of West Newton Hill are being congratulated on the birth of a son, Earl Perry Charlton, 3rd. Mrs. Charlton is at the Newton Hospital.

Newton Highlands

—Miss Elinor Clark has returned from Skidmore college for the holidays.

—Mrs. Charles E. Beane is a member of the Thistle club, a woman's golf organization at Southern Pines, N. C.

—Miss Elinor Beers of Rollins College, Winter Park, Florida, will spend the Christmas with her parents in Coral Gables, Fla.

—Miss Mary Reynolds '28, has been elected a delegate from Mt. Holyoke to the National Christian Association Conference to be held next week at Milwaukee.

FIRE RECORD

Sunday afternoon at 1.51 Box 174 was for a fire in a Marmon car owned by Diomede Famasi of 172 Chapel St., Newton. The car which was on Green street when the fire occurred, was badly damaged.

Saturday morning at 4.09, Box 31 was for a fire in the building at 981 Watertown street, West Newton, occupied by McPherson's filling station, Treddin's Tire Shop, and the DeMille Battery Shop. The blaze was discovered by Patrolman Hayden and had gained considerable headway before the firemen arrived. The cause is unknown.

Saturday morning at 9.47, Box 64 was for a fire on the roof of the Odd Fellows Building at 1156 Walnut St., Newton Highlands. It was extinguished before much damage resulted The cause is unknown.

ASLEEP?

Had shepherds on Judea's hills
Wearied, fallen fast asleep,—
Or not have turned skyward their eyes
Absorbed in cares for sheep,
Angels unseen might then have flown
None hearing heavenly choirs,
When midst the silent stars poured forth
Anthems the world inspires.

And souls whose worldly cares abound,
Hearts fallen asleep within,
On Christmas Day will catch no sound
Of angels midst the din
Of noises drowning deep the song
Of Christ a Savior born,
Heedless though thrilling notes prolong
Glad news of Christmas morn.

Shepherds who tend earth's fleecy flocks
Watching but market's gain,
Absorbed in trade, or rise of stocks,
World wealth but to obtain,—
No angel voices will they hear,
They're not "men of good will,"—
Though skies resound with music clear
Sleep deafened are they still.

Awake, my soul! from minding sheep,
Note rather visions high
Uplifted! Shall dull cares thee keep
Engrossed when heaven is nigh?
Awake- There's glory on the sky,
Look up,—close not thine ear,
For Angels sing on Christmas Day,
Blest Day of all the Year.

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Church School 10.00 A. M.

Newton Centre

—There will be a Christmas carol service tonight at Trinity Church.

—At the annual election of the Kiwanis Club of Boston, Mr. H. J. Pettingill, Jr., was elected vice-president.

—At the recent annual meeting of the Middlesex Bar Association Mr. Frank M. Forbush was re-elected president.

—Sunday evening at the Baptist church a dramatic pageant entitled "The Birth of Christ" will be given by the young people.

—The annual New Year's reception at the Baptist church will be held next Friday evening. President Everett C. Herrick will make the address.

—The Misses Elfrida Kavorkian, Anita Kilpatrick, Alice Potter, and Margaret and Virginia Williams of Skidmore College are home for the holidays.

—Mr. Allston Burr, '89, is chairman and Mr. George S. Mumford '87 is a member of the committee just appointed to raise funds for a Harvard War Memorial.

—The Annual Meeting of the Unitarian Church will be held on the evening of January 21 for the conducting of the annual business. Supper will be served at 6.30 P. M.

—This evening there will be carol singing by the young people of the Baptist church for the shutins followed by a social evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett A. Greene.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Scott of Trowbridge street, sailed Tuesday on the SS Juniata of the Merchants & Miners Lines from Boston to Baltimore, Md., enroute to Jacksonville, Florida.

—Mrs. Francis S. Smith of 547 Ward street announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Helen Callendar Smith, to Kurt Winters of Boston. The wedding will take place shortly after Christmas.

—At the Unitarian Church next Sunday morning, December 26 the Minister, Rev. George Lawrence Parker, will preach. In the afternoon, the Hale Union will conduct services at the Peabody Home for Crippled Children.

—Mary Sheehan, for 40 years in the employ of W. F. Doake of Cedar street, died last Friday at the Newton Hospital after a brief illness. Her funeral was held Sunday afternoon from the Funeral Home of Thomas J. Lyons at West Newton. Burial was in Marlboro.

—The play, "The Christmas Guest" given at the First church on Sunday afternoon was under the direction of Miss Flora Bosson, and the cast included Edith Duthie, Myron Settle, Jr., Stephen Bailey, Eleanor Parsons, Margaret Parsons, Catherine Hayden and Hayes Robbins.

—On Tuesday afternoon, December 28 at 3.30 o'clock, the Christmas Festival of the Unitarian Church School will be held in the Parish House. There will be games, refreshments, and a stereopticon lecture by Mrs. G. L. Parker, illustrative of Christmas. Many of the most famous pictures of the world and of the world's chief artists will be thrown upon the screen. The Church School has provided a large number of gifts for the Newton Welfare Bureau.

PRESIDENT PRATT OF ALDERMEN LAUDS "PAY AS YOU GO" POLICY

At the December 6th meeting of the aldermen, President George Pratt, who retires this year as a member of the Board, took the floor to refer to figures submitted to its members by the Comptroller of Accounts of Newton, Mr Daniel White. These figures, according to Mr. Pratt, proved that the policy adopted by the city several years ago of "paying as you go", has been productive of excellent results and reflects great credit on the man chiefly responsible for this method, ex-Alderman Thomas W. White. He said, "I am very proud of my part in the adoption of this policy."

The figures show that in 1920 the net debt per capita was $51.39; in 1925, $71.31. The net debt in 1920 was $2,366,963; in 1925, $3,779,915, an increase of $1,412,952. To offset this increase it should be noted that in 1920 the value of the city was $86,376,000; in 1925 it was $117,850,000. In 1920 municipal expenditures totalled $3,356,509; in 1925, $4,098,694. In 1920 the assets of the city in public buildings amounted to $9,072,424; in 1925 they had increased to $12,071,202. In other words $2,998,778 has been added to the assets of the city in five years, while the net debt has increased but $1,412,952. Thus the City of Newton has been "paying as it goes" for the past five years at the average of $317,000 per year.

Y. M. C. A.

Mr. F. H. Williams, president and treasurer of the Purity Ice Company of Newton, gave a very interesting talk on the "Story of Manufactured Ice" before the members of the Fellowship Club last Monday evening. During the holidays there will be no meeting of the Club. On January 10th Mr. H. L. Harris of the S. A. Conover Company of Boston will be the speaker. He will show motion pictures.

The officers and directors of the Newton Y. M. C. A. will hold Open House to members and friends on January 1st, 1927, from 7 to 10 o'clock. The Newton Constabulary Band will give a concert in the lobby at 7 P. M. There will be exhibitions and games in the swimming pool and gymnasium and at 9 o'clock an entertainment in the assembly hall by the Neil-Patterson Trio.

Central Church
NEWTONVILLE

9.45 A. M. Regular departments of the Church School.

11 A. M. **Dr. Ellis** will preach.

Newtonville

—Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Bennett are registered at the Park View, Southern Pines, N. C.

—Mr. C. W. Beane and family have moved from Centre street to Pine Crest road.

—Robert Sallinger of Prospect street is at home from Dartmouth for the Christmas vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edmund L. Buell of Linwood avenue are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

—Call H. A. McDonnell, 6 Highland terrace, Newtonville, (Newton North 4674) for anything in the carpenter line. —Advertisement.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Starkweather are spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Burr Starkweather at Salisbury, N. C.

—Mr. Edmund L. Buell of Linwood avenue has the sympathy of his many friends in the death of his brother, Mr. George A. Buell of Natick.

—The men's club of St. John's Church held a Fathers and Sons night on Monday. An exhibition of motion pictures followed the dinner.

—At the Central Church Sunday morning the quartet and senior choir of 35 voices will sing Christmas music. Hazel Theodorowicz, 'cellist, will be the assisting artist.

—The Misses Dorothy Filene, Ann Schipper, Grace Taylor and Martha Wilson have returned from Skidmore college for the holidays. Miss Filene had charge of the stage at the annual Christmas play this year.

—This evening the young people of St. John's Parish will sing Christmas carols in this village and West Newton, followed by dancing in the parish house. At 11.30 P. M. there will be trumpeters on the church steps.

—Martyn Kingsland of Clyde street entertained a group of his young friends Monday evening. The young people first went to Bullough's Pond for skating and then a supper and dancing were enjoyed at the home of the host.

—Mrs. Eugene Wilson Leighton of Proctor street announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Eleanor Leighton, to Mr. Winthrop Sayles Clapp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Walter Clapp of Newton Highlands. Miss Leighton belongs to the class of '25 of Skidmore College and Mr. Clapp is a Harvard '24 man. The marriage is planned for the early spring.

—Funeral services for the late Robert C. Bridgham were held at his late home on Newtonville avenue at two o'clock Saturday afternoon and there was a large number of neighbors and friends present to testify to their regard and affection for their friend. Rev. Dr. Arthur M. Ellis, pastor of Central Church, officiated, and a male quartet sang several appropriate selections. The interment was in Newton Cemetery.

CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

The Eliot Church was filled by a most interested audience on Sunday afternoon to witness the Christmas Pageant under the direction of Miss Bessie Stratton. The pageant was an adaptation of an English Mystery Play of the Middle Ages, and was beautifully staged. There was music by the members of the Girls Choir, Mr. Lewis Davis, director, and by the Junior choir under the direction of Mrs. Ray Anderson Eusden. Among those in the cast were Miss Alice Williamson, Miss Elizabeth Lane, Miss Natalie Smith and Miss Emma Montanari, also Emmart LaCrosse, Jr., Andrew Kasper, Jr., and Miss Doris Barton.

The parts of the Bethlehem Children, the kings and the king's pages, were taken by children of the different grades in the Sunday School.

FINE NEW BUILDING

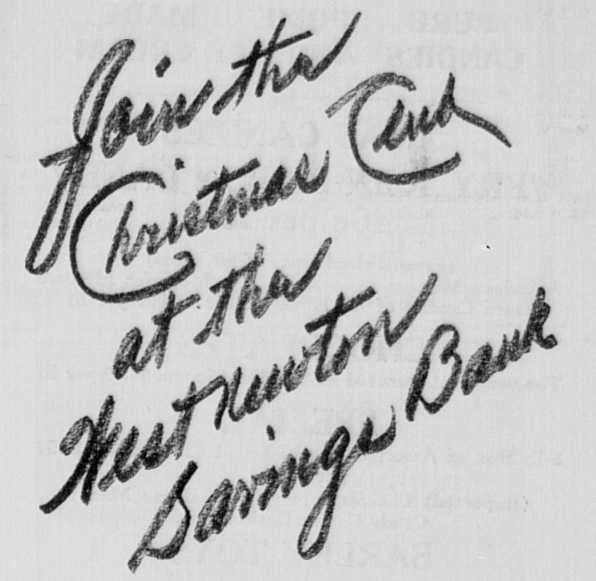
What the skill of the modern architect and master-builder can accomplish for special business needs, is well illustrated in the enlarged and finely equipped building and rooms of Henry F. Cate, Funeral Director, at 1251 Washington street, West Newton.

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Waban

—The Misses Priscilla and Phyllis Bache came home on Tuesday from Smith College for the holidays.

—Miss Charlotte rAnold, who is doing Social Service Work in White Plains, N. Y., will spend Christmas with her family on Waban avenue.

—Rev. and Mrs. Joseph C. MacDonald have as house guests over Christmas. Mr. MacDonald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. MacDonald of Bangor, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wells of Collins road are entertaining over Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cummings and two children of Peterboro, N. H. Mrs. Cummings is the sister of Mr. Wells.

—The third of the series of Young People's Assemblies under the direction of Mr. Champagne was held at the Neighborhood Club House on Thursday evening with Mrs. Hector M. Holmes and Mrs. Edwin N. Chase as patronesses.

—Next Wednesday evening, December 29, a "Junior Dance" will be held in the Neighborhood Club House. Arrangements will be made by the following committee: Miss Hortense Lane, Miss Mildred Marr, Mr. Malcolm Hill and Mr. Henry Johnson.

—Next Sunday night at the Church of the Good Shepherd, "Alumni Night," will be observed by the Young People's Forum. A number of the former members of the Forum will tell of the college customs which prevail at their own institutions of learning.

Y. W. C. A.

There have been three Christmas parties during the past week; one for the High School group of Girl Reserves, one for the grade school group, and one for the Blue Triangle Club. Many gifts have been sent by these groups to children who otherwise might not have a very merry Christmas. The rooms are prettily decorated with Christmas greens given by a generous friend of the Association.

The rooms will be closed all day Christmas and New Year's. There will be no activities or classes during the week of December 27, the office will be open, however, each day from 9 to 5.

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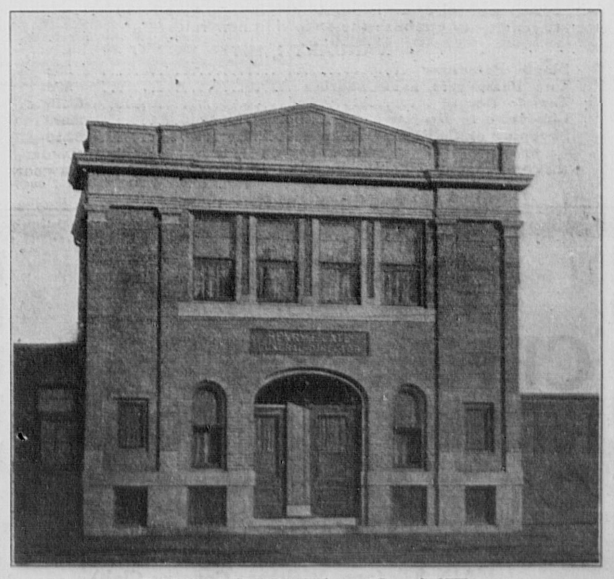
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ALDERMEN MEET

Garages, Water, City Hall and New Schools Discussed

Not much of import was transacted at the meeting of the Aldermen on Monday night. Strange to relate, there were no hearings on petitions for garages, filling stations or changes in zoning. Several petitions for filling stations, which have been under consideration, were turned down. Among these were the petitions of Marshall Hall for a filling station at the corner of Washington and Court streets, Newtonville; Cashman & Ginsberg for a station on Washington street, Lower Falls; George E. Cahill for a station at the corner of Washington and Beach streets, Newtonville; Jacob Kligman, for a garage and filling station at 456 Watertown street, Newtonville. This made about the "steenth" time that Kligman was rebuffed in his efforts to obtain a garage permit at this location. John McDonald was given a permit for a 1000 gallon gasoline tank, for private use at 13 Borden street, West Newton. The pump to be connected with this tank will be inside the garage. The Edison Company was granted locations for three poles on Ripley street, Newton Centre.

The Board granted leave to withdraw on these petitions:

Mary B. Longyear, changing land on Rowena, Cedric and Oxford Roads, from single to private residence zone; The petition for changing land on Hollis street from private to general residence zone; William H. Bixby, damages for personal injuries to his son, who was hit by an auto in the yard of the F. A. Day School; Shirley Talbot, damages to automobile. Permits were granted to the Fessenden School for a 500-gallon gasoline tank at its garage, 215 Albermarle road; Andrew Maguzzu, automobile repair shop, 184 California street; Catherine Hannon, private garage, 14 Maple terrace; Edwin R. Jump, garage at 15 Nonantum street, not more than 7½ feet from rear line of property and 27 feet from street line. Louis DeRusso was given a permit for three pool tables at 438 Lexington street, Auburndale, and George Luchini for a second hand furniture store at 1 Centre Pl. The Edison Company was refused a permit for locations for two poles on Endicott street and Church street. W. G. Girard was refused licenses for two first class taxis.

Alderman Baker, Chairman of the Committee on the New City Hall, told the aldermen that Lockwood, Greene & Company, the firm appointed by Mayor Childs to make a survey on the new City Hall, has been studying the needs of the various departments of the city, and has been examining the construction and designs of City Halls in other places. It has made rough sketches of buildings adapted for the site at West Newton and the site on the triangle at Homer and Walnut streets. Mr. Baker remarked that he had suggested to the representatives of this firm "that too much space had been planned for the Aldermanic Chamber. On the designs, this chamber ran the length of the buildings and would seat 1000 persons. He said "A conference should be held with the County Commissioners to ascertain or not whether they desire accomodations for the District Court in the new City Hall, and what rent they will be willing to pay." He expected that plans of the suggested buildings will be ready for perusal by the Aldermen within a few weeks.

Alderman Fitts, Chairman of the Public Buildings Committee, reported that because of lack of data, definite plans have not been worked out by the School Committee and the special committee of the Aldermen, appointed to work in conjunction with the School Committee on new school buildings. Mr. Fitts stated that in recent years all new school construction has been on the north side of the city, with the exception of the Angier School at Waban. During this period the city has grown in population more rapidly on the South Side. New schools are acutely needed at Newton Centre and Chestnut Hill. Also more accommodations in the Claflin School district at Newtonville. One thousand pupils will be ready to enter a new junior high school on the South Side next Fall, could one be constructed at that time, which is impossible. According to Mr. Fitts, the thing most desired at present by the School Committee, is the tunnel under Elm Road to connect the Classical High School with the new high school building.

Aldermen Gallagher, Weeks and Fitts were appointed members of the Committee to arrange for the annual dinner of the Aldermen. It seems significant that a physician should be included on this committee. Perhaps he will make an analysis of the "water" to be consumed at the feast, to guard against any bacteria being present in it.

Alderman Bail, Chairman of the Special Committee on water reported that for the eight days preceding, Newton has been using water from the Metropolitan Water System. The pipe lines on the Newton water reservation at Needham have been cleaned in the meantime, and certain other work done. The large main under the Charles River was cleaned and found to be thoroughly tight. There had been a suspicion among officials of the State Department of Health and certain physicians, that this main might have been leaky, thus permitting water from the Charles to seep in. This fear has been dispelled. The new well under process of construction for the past several months, and which should have been ready November 1st, is slowly being completed largely because the contractor has been as yet unable to obtain pumps powerful enough to keep this well free of water, so that rapid excavating can be accomplished. This fact assures a large additional supply from this well when it will be finished. Mr. Bail stated he will recommend the appointment of a committee next year to continue the work of cleaning by machine the mains on the side streets of the city. The work of cleaning the wooden conduit at Needham has been delayed, waiting the running of wires into the reservation by the Edison Company. It is expected that these wires will be strung within the next ten days. Then the conduit will be cleaned.

Alderman Gallagher informed his colleagues that Chief Engineer Foss of the Metropolitan Water Commission has asked the City of Newton to resume using its own water supply on Wednesday, as the Metropolitan supply is so low, that a dangerous situation would be created by too much depletion of the basins serving this system. Mr. Gallagher said that this verified the statements he has been making in the past—"that the Metropolitan Water System can hardly supply its own needs, much less those of Newton, and that it will be nearly ten years before the additional supply will be available from the Swift River system. It is therefore up to Newton to increase its own supply."

President Pratt asked Alderman Bail regarding the unexpended amounts of the appropriations given the Water Department this year for new mains? Mr. Bail explained that most of the unexpended balance can be attributed to mains authorized on certain new streets which have not been laid because these streets have not as yet been sufficiently developed to make it expedient to lay the mains.

Alderman Hodgdon said that as reports seemed to be in order from special committees he would make a report for the special committee on the Fuller Garage. He gave the information that on last Saturday, Judge Brown has authorized the issuance of complaints against the owners of the Fuller Garage for illegally selling gasoline from outside pumps.

Aderman Bail, speaking for the Public Works Committee, called attention to the fact that this committee had not been consulted by the Finance Committee before appropriations were made for items in connection with the work of the Street Department.

Chairman Weeks of the Finance Committee explained that his committee had no intention of slighting the Public Works Committee, but that the items for which appropriations had been made were holdovers from the previous meeting, and had been discussed with Chairman Earle of the Public Works Committee. The appropriations made were—Street Department, collection of ashes, $3,000; removal of snow, $5,115.10; traffic signs, $150; care of grounds, $100; Charity Department, outside aid, $2,800; poor out of City Home, $1,000; Law Department, claim of Simon Stone for damage to auto tires because of obstruction in street, $14; claim of Mrs. Agnes Scott for injuries received by defect in sidewalk, $87; City Physician, maintenance of auto, $270; Accounting Department Laborer's pension, $221.21; distribution of Kenrick Fund, $201.17; Sewer Department, construction of house connections, $881.07.

It was voted to accept Rosalie, Country Club and Gordon Roads at Oak Hill. Alderman Bail explained that Mr. Hartman, who is developing Oak Hill Village, had met all the requirements of the city in the construction of these streets.

Alderman Madden, chairman of the Claims and Rules Committee, asked that Section 320, Chapter 31 of the City Ordinances be amended by striking out this section and substituting therefor the following:—

"No part of any building with incombustible walls, except buildings designed for retail stores or office buildings not over two stories in height, may be placed nearer than 10 feet to any part of any other building not of fireproof construction, nor nearer than 5 feet to the adjoining lot line; buildings designed for retail stores or office buildings if placed nearer than 5 feet of a lot line, or 10 feet of a building of non-fireproof construction shall have unpierced firewalls on the side nearer said lot line or said non-fireproof construction building.

"In the rear of every building designed for a store or office building, there shall be a yard not less than 15 feet in depth extending across the entire width of the building. There shall be permanently appurtenant to any such store or office building a passage way at least 10 feet in width to a street, or from a lot on which such store or building is erected or maintained there shall be a permanent right of way of record not less than 10 feet in width to a street. The requirements as to depth of yard and width of way may be diminished when undue hardship would be occasioned and where health and fire protection can be adequately maintained with diminished depth and width."

Mr. Madden explained that these provisions are deemed necessary because some buildings in this city which have no yards in the rear, or no entrance from the street for a way to the yards at the rear, cause undesirable health conditions and fire hazards. The amended section was passed by the Aldermen.

Aldermen Weeks stated that members of the police and fire departments in this city have requested that they be permtited to apply their "days off" to the time required to attend the convention of the American Legion in France next summer. He expressed the hope that the Aldermen will give favorable consideration to these requests. Chairman Madden of the Claims and Rules Committee said that these requests had been discussed by the committee, but that it was believed that should they be granted, probably employees of other departments of the city would also ask concessions. He informed the Board that the City Solicitor has covered the legal side of the action of the Aldermen in permitting city employees to take their 1928 vacation in conjunction with their 1927 vacation so as to be able to go to France. All applicants must be ex-service men and must repay the city for the extra time given if they leave its employ before 1928. The concession will not apply to employees of the School Department.

The meeting adjourned at 10.35. The next meeting of the Board will be at 2 P. M., Saturday, January 1st.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS

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in form of the composition does not matter, but the creative effort is what is worth while.

Benefit Shop

The Benefit Shop at 895 Washington street, Newtonville, will discontinue its Monday evening opening, and beginning January 8th, will be open **Saturdays,** from 1 until 9. Monday, Wednesday, and Friday afternoons the Shop will be open from 1 to 4 as usual.

DATES OF NEXT MEETINGS

December 27—Newton Highlands C. L. S. C.
December 28—Auburndale Review Club.
December 29—Newton Centre Woman's Club, Young People's Holiday Assembly.
December 29—Social Science Club.
December 29—Auburndale Study Club.
December 30—Newton Centre Woman's Club.
December 30—Auburndale Woman's Club.
January 3—Christian Era Study Club.
January 3—Waban Woman's Club.
January 3—Newton Upper Falls Woman's Club.
January 4—Newton Highlands Woman's Club.
January 4—Newtonville Woman's Club.
January 5—Community Service Club of West Newton.
January 8—Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands.
January 10—Monday Club of Newton Highlands.
January 13—Newton Community Club.
January 14—West Newton Women's Educational Club.

MISS HAINS ENGAGED

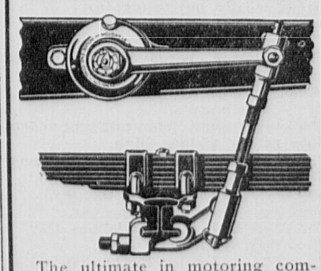
At a bridge-tea given on Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Hines, on Hyde Ave., Newton, the engagement was made known of their daughter, Miss Eleanor Hains, to Francis E. Laimbeer, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis E. Laimbeer of Garden City, Long Island, N. Y.

Among those present were Mrs. Laimbeer, her daughter, Miss Dorothea Laimbeer, and Lieutenant Paul W. Hains of the United States naval station at Portsmouth, N. H., Navy Yard, and his wife; also Mrs. Bruce Johnson (Ruth Hains) of Binghampton, N. Y., Miss Hains' sister. Miss Eunice Norton and Miss Dorothea Laimbeer poured.

Miss Hains graduated from Dana Hall, Wellesley, with this year's class. Mr. Laimbeer is a Princeton man.

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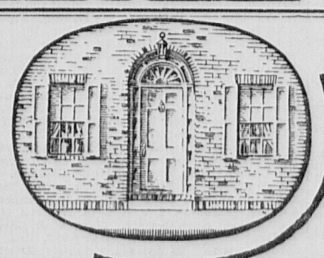
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ONE THING AND ANOTHER

Written by LEVERETT D. G. BENTLEY

The tree is trimmed. The lights are on and shining brightly. Mysterious packages are all about. What do you suppose they contain? Surprises? Of course, and jolly ones, too! Weeks of planning, the pleasant, delightful planning that we so enjoy, have resulted in the final preparation for this the biggest day of the year—Christmas!

Shall it be a merry one? Why not? Isn't it intended that we should commemorate an event which was the greatest, the most vital of the universe? Merriment need not be carried to an absurd degree, but made to reflect the highest of emotions and the noblest of all happy thoughts.

Let it be a day not only for ourselves but for all with whom we come in contact. Let it be a day of giving that means we derive more from the actual act of giving than from receiving. All that is best and most wonderful is brought out in true Christmas merriment. Therefore, here's a Merry Christmas to all.

Have you ever experienced the feeling of having gone away for the evening and having left the front door of your home open? Is there any sensation that equals it? All the way to the theatre or lecture hall you say to yourself, over and over again, "Did I leave the front door open? Did I, or did I not? Yes, I think I did. No, I don't see how I could have." Temporarily you forget your worry while you are being ushered to a seat. Soon, however, the frightful feeling of dread returns and you begin questioning yourself all over again.

Until the play starts or the concert opens or the speaker of the evening begins his address you repeat and repeat those burning questions. And the answer is always the same—doubt, uncertainty, and a harrowing sense of having committed something akin to a criminal act. Self-torture inflicted as only a Chinese executioner could do.

Now then, somewhere I have read that to question yourself in such a way is really a mild form of mental disease. One should not, the eminent authority declared, do such things. He pointed out that it was not a "sign" of insanity, but a "symptom" of it. Other normal acts keep you on the safe side of the border line, said this distinguished writer, but at the same time the brains must be a little bit worn or something like that, in order to produce this state of self-inquisition. There, as I remember it, is what a man who was supposed to be a great doctor and mental expert, had to say about it.

So much for the viewpoint of the individual. Breathes there a man or woman or child without a sense of responsibility. Of course there does, but do you know many of them? Isn't it true that when a person is notorious, I might have said conspicuous, for shirking his or her duty the rest of the world knows it and treats that individual accordingly?

"Soandso is all right," you will hear it said, "but you can't depend on him." Or, "Soandso is a wonder, you may always depend on him." There then is the story. It should be and I believe it is a distinguishing characteristic that we feel there are responsibilities which we must assume and that means discharge and fulfill as we would any obligation.

I am thinking again of the things undone that so upset our thoughts. Not only has many a pleasant evening been ruined by the backward thoughts of a conscientious father or mother, who just can't help thinking whether some little thing has been forgotten.

There are as many concerns as there are responsibilities under such circumstances. How often have you wondered if you left the electric light burning in the cellar or some other part of the house? How frequently have you questioned yourself as to the situation with the heater—whether you have left the drafts open or whether you forgot to put in fuel.

Not long ago I saw a perfectly enjoyable automobile ride suddenly broken up by the discomfort of a member of the party. To be sure it was only one of those pleasant little journeys into the country but it had to be abruptly cut short because this presiding genius of a household had left something cooking on the gas stove and had forgotten to shut off the gas.

There are a few of the things that keep us thinking about the practical side of life. After all, life isn't just a long, sweet, uninterrupted dream. That is, not if one has a sense of responsibility, as he should.

I suppose every one of us has, as we have clambered up the subway stairs, hurried out or into the South Station or jostled our way through the Christmas crowds, wondered how it feels to be a collector for the Salvation Army or the Volunteers of America. How many of the dimes, nickels or pennies that are dropped into the coin box find their way there because the person holding the contribution box has the appearance of being frozen?

Of course, whatever they say about Americans it is true that they are willing to give and give freely. The very nations on the other side of the Atlantic that criticize our money-grabbing tendencies will grant that it has saved their lives on many occasions—this generous, free-handed spirit of the Americans.

Well, to get back to the women and men who hold the boxes for the Salvation Army and the Volunteers of America. I once did a special newspaper story on the personality of these folks and while I have no intention of repeating myself I think I can say I got a pretty good line on them. It struck me that it was about as mean a job as one could take. I saw them when they turned in their collections and although I do not wish to be critical I must say that the man who had charge of receiving the money was about as gruff as could be.

For fear, however, that I might be saying something which could be interpreted as reflecting upon these great charitable organizations I want to point out now that I never allow the conduct of a subordinate to affect my judgment or opinion of any big concern or organization. To do so would be ridiculous.

It was while I was in New York one day this week that all these thoughts about the Salvation Army I had had in Boston came together with one big smash. And this is how it happened. It was cold and early morning, for business had required me to be up and doing when the first of the morning crowds were running down the stairs from the "L" or up from the subways.

What was that I heard? Certainly not a band playing at this hour? What would be the occasion of music so early in the day? Surely no parade or demonstration in honor of an individual? But it was music that I heard and pretty good music—a band that knew its notes. I looked around and what did I see—at the foot of the "L" stairs a Salvation Army band playing a stirring air.

All the musicians were heavily dressed, but at that they looked blue with the cold. The wind was blowing and not only were they keeping their instruments in constant use but their legs were also in action, they were shifting feet to keep warm or if not to keep warm to keep from freezing. What do you think of that? Ah, you'll say, that's New York.

It isn't always fair to blame New York for the things we have never seen before or don't like or don't understand. Let's give New York credit. Here was an effort to arouse interest in the giving of Christmas donations. It certainly was a novel one.

Very well then, let's see what it means. Doesn't it mean a pretty handsome display of the yuletide spirit? Think of these men playing away on a cold, bitter morning. A serenade to Santa Claus and that's most appropriate for Christmas week.

I was glad to see New York getting itself ready for Christmas. Somewhat of a rustic I still can find things to "see" in New York and when one can do that one may be sure of having a good tnme. The New York papers, when I was there, said "Near Zero Weather Strikes City." Well, with my companion (a writer highly popular with Newton people,) I just did a lot of window-shopping. It just so happened that he and I were in the same mood. Our errand was the same, our hotel the same and our tastes the same. Therefore, we hit it off magnificently.

"Heated taxi." There was a sign that struck us. "What," I asked, "do you think our Newton neighbors would say to that?"

"Yankees are pretty cautious and it may be they believe in signs," he replied, "and yet I don't know if they care to risk the investment just to find out if such a sign is true. Let us walk anyway and take no chances."

And that is how it came about that we covered a good many blocks in "near zero" weather and saw New York glad-ragged for the holidays.

LODGES

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The Planning Board acting as a Board of Survey will give a public hearing at City Hall, West Newton, Mass., Tuesday, December 28th, 1926, at 4.00 o'clock P. M., for the consideration of the following plans:

1. Plan of Mitchell Place, Newtonville, "Proposed development of land of Horace W. Orr et al, E. M. Brooks C. E., September 8, 1926."
2. Plan of Proposed Street off Beacon Street, Waban. "Proposed development of land of Hannah King, E. S. Smilie C. E., June 8, 1926."
3. Plan of Stoneleigh Road, West Newton, "Proposed development of land of Dorothy Curran et als, W. E. Leonard C. E., Dec. 1, 1926."

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ABOUT TOWN

In contrast to the remainder of the city, a fairly large vote was cast on December 14 in Ward 2. The contest for Ward Alderman was the reason. A house-to-house canass had been made in the interest of Mr. Wakefield, and on the day of election men were stationed at all approaches to the railroad station to exhort commuters to ballot. Results showed that all this activity was necessary, as Mr. O'Connell gave Mr. Wakefield a close fight. Despite the fact that municipal elections in Newton are non-partisan, many persons in this city persist in attempting to inject partisan politics into local elecions. Ward 2, in State and National elections is strongly Republican. This being so, many voters, who cast their ballots for Republican candidates on State and National tickets, voted for Mr. O'Connell. He had a good record, having attended every committee and aldermanic meeting during his four years of service, and displayed a desire to meet the demands of his constituents.

The matter of a buss line along Centre street from Newton Corner to Newton Centre and Newton Highlands, is again being agitated. There has never been direct transportation service between Newton Corner and the South Side of the city. The need for it has been constantly increasing. If the Middlesex & Boston Street Railway does not desire to operate a line on this proposed route, there are persons in the city who are willing to furnish such service.

The collection of ashes in Boston has been off schedue since the heavy snow storm a few weeks ago. Little delay was observed in the collection of ashes in Newton. We do not wonder that this work in Boston has not been performed as efficiently as in Newton. A week ago last Sunday we saw employees of the City of Boston collecting ashes. Or, perhaps, it might be more correct to say "distributing ashes." It was a windy day. The trucks we saw used for the collection of the ashes were part of the fleet of huge motor vehicles purchased some months ago by Mayor Nichols to aid in the removal of snow. They have huge bodies, the sides of which rear 10 feet above the ground. Imagine men trying to lift heavy barrels of ashes over these high sides. It simply could not be done. Instead, three men would grab a barrel and hurl it over the side of the big motor truck. Two men inside the truck would catch the barrel. During this process much of the ashes which had been in the barrel was jolted out, to be scattered on the nearby street and sidewalk. These trucks were designed to be used in conjunction with huge snow loaders, built on the conveyor principle. It is ridiculous to attempt to use them for the collection of ashes. The latest trucks purchased by the City of Newton for collecting ashes, have bodies especially designed by Street Commissioner Stuart to enable them to be easily loaded by the men engaged in this work.

There are those who view their political affiliation almost as they view their religious affiliation. In fact they seem to make the one contingent on the other. This is not as it should be. It is a fundamental doctrine of Americanism "that the Church and State should be kept separate." It is un-American, therefore, to mix politics with religion. Those who advocate the election or defeat of a candidate because he belongs, or dose not belong, to this or that religious faith, are not good Americans.

Then, there are those whose political relations are determined by social considerations. In the South it is fashionable to be a Democrat. In the North it is not. It is embarrassing oftentimes for a person of aristocratic Democratic lineage to take up permanent residence in New England, or for a person descended from generations of Republican ancestors to change his permanent abode to the South.

NEWTON ROTARY CLUB

The Christmas celebration of the Newton Rotary Club took the place of the regular meeting last Monday noon at the Woodland Golf Club and was quite a gay affair. The members were dolled up with bibs and tuckers on entering the room and presented with fancy caps. Bells and musical instruments were found at the tables and used throughout the meeting.

The affair was in the hands of the medical members of the club, Dr. C. W. Clark, Dr. Edward Mellus, Dr. Henry Watters and Dr. F. M. Lowe. A feature of the luncheon was the introduction of each member by Dr. Mellus with an original rhyme, all of them good and a number of them particularly appropriate. Andrew J. Ford added to the enjoyment with a true(?) bear story.

NEWTON LODGE OF ELKS

Newton Lodge held a social and entertainment after its meeting last night to assist in raising funds for the Christmas Charity Fund. A large number of turkeys were given as prizes.

The members of the Lodge have been invited to attend the Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Moore of 199 Church street on December 26th. Mr. Moore is a Past Trustee of Newton Lodge.

Many members of the Lodge are contemplating visiting Marlboro Lodge on January 24th.

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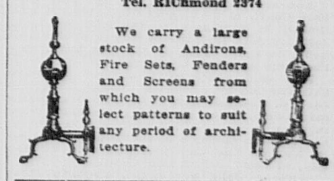
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ABOUT TOWN

Several months ago prominent citizens of Newton assembled on two occasions at the Newton Club to discuss ways and means to induce voters of Newton to go to the pools on election days. At the election last Tuesday less than 29% of the voters of this city went to the polls. It was suggested at the meetings held in the Newton Club, "that the school children by letter writing and moral suasion, endeavor to influence their parents to perform the important civic duty which they have been in the habit of neglecting." Considerable difficulty has been experienced in Newton in finding suitable polling places. In some precincts school buildings have been used for this purpose. Why not use school buildings whenever and wherever it is practical to do so? It might be posible to devise some plan whereby delegations elected from the pupils at each school could act as "welcoming committees" to their parents at the polling places in the school buildings. The parents would then have added incentive to vote, and the children would be impressed with the importance of the ballot.

The long and expensive litigation over certain estates, calls attention to possible and probable litigation in the future by persons claiming to be relatives of deceased wealthy folks. It has become a common practice for persons of foreign birth or extraction to assume names associated with pioneer families of this country. In the past one could usually tell by hearing a person's name what nationality, or race he was descended from. But not today. Persons who were born in the far parts of Europe and Asia, have changed their names, sometimes legally, to those borne by the voyagers on the Mayflower, or those other small ships which brought the early settlers to Massachusetts Bay. It is perfectly reasonable for a man or a woman to desire a change in a foreign name which is very difficult to spell or pronounce. But such names for the most part can be shortened or slightly changed to make them easy to spell or pronounce.

A large percentage of those of alien extraction who change their names, do so in order to conceal their ancestry. For business or social reasons they wish to appear as Americans of the "old stock." Frequently their personal characteristics defeat this purpose. Certain national or racial characteristics are undeniable, regardless of what name is assumed. We don't enthuse over those who are ashamed of their ancestry, especially when said ancestors were honest, industrious folks, even though not Anglo-Saxons. The increasing custom of "adopting other folks' names" should be legislated against.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of
Amos F. Adams

late of Newton in said County of Middlesex, deceased.

WHEREAS, Merrill K. Green, Jesse P. Lyman and Amos L. Taylor, trustees under the Will of said deceased have presented to said Court, their petition praying for authority to adjust by compromise a demand held by them as such trustees against the South Canon Coal Company.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twelfth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 24-31-Jan. 7.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Ida Estelle Fernald

late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by George H. Fernald who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the sixth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, fourteen days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 17-24-31.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Elizabeth J. Wonderly late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

PAUL E. WONDERLY,
Adm.

(Address)
Paul E. Wonderly,
31 Milk St., Boston, Mass.
c/o Abbott & Carroll,
December 13, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
John B. Brainerd

late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament—and one codicil—of said deceased have been presented to said Court, for Probate, by John B. Brainerd the junior of that name and Old Colony Trust Company who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 24-31-Jan. 7.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executrix of the will of Edward Cornelius Briggs late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ETHEL McCLURE BRIGGS, Executrix.

(Address)
81 Old Orchard Road,
Chestnut Hill, Mass.
December 15th, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Frank E. Remick late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

WILLIAM F. REMICK, Executor.

(Address)
3 Bradford Court,
Newton Centre, Mass.
December 16, 1926.
Dec.-24-31-Jan. 7.

Notice is hereby given that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the will of Jacob Weinberg late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

SELMA WEINBERG and
ALFRED L. FISH, Executors.

(Address)
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Boston, Mass.
December 18, 1926.
Dec. 24-31-Jan. 7.

SHERIFF'S SALE
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, ss. December 10, A.D. 1926.

Pursuant to a Warrant of Sale to me directed and issued from the Superior Court within and for said county of Middlesex, and dated the fourth day of December, A.D. 1926, I shall sell by public auction on Wednesday, the twenty-sixth day of January A.D. 1927, at one o'clock, P.M., at my office, 20 Second Street in Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, all the right, title and interest that John J. Smith, Trustee of the Brookline and Newton Realty Company under declaration of trust dated January 21, 1926, recorded in Middlesex County, South District Registry of Deeds, had on the twenty-second day of March, A.D. 1926, that being the time as order in said Warrant of Sale, in and to the following described premises, to wit:—

Land in Newton, Massachusetts, Middlesex County, being Lot A on a plan entitled "Resubdivision of lot 25B" on a plan entitled "Resubdivision of lot 25 on the Towle Estate," July 1925, and lot 26 and a part of lot 27 adjoining on a plan dated March 1926, recorded in Middlesex South District Deeds as filed plan 806, John J. Smith, Engineer, March 23, 1926, duly recorded in said deeds bounded and described as follows: North Easterly by a curved line on Westchester Road as shown on said plan 65 ft. North Westerly by land of owners unknown 113.11 ft. Southerly by land of owners not designated on said plan 9.05 ft. South Westerly by land of owners not designated on said plan 45 ft. South, Easterly by lot B as shown on said plan 122 ft. Containing 6810 sq. ft. more or less.

Lot B is more particularly described as follows: Land in Newton, Massachusetts, Middlesex County, being lot B on a plan entitled "Resubdivision of lot 25 B" on a plan entitled "Resubdivision of lot 25" on the Towle Estate July 1925, and March 1926, and a part of lot 27 adjoining on a plan dated March 1925, recorded with Middlesex South Registry of Deeds as filed plan 806, John J. Smith, Engineer, March 23, 1926, and duly recorded in said deeds, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by a curved line on Westchester Road as shown on said plan 65 ft. North Westerly by lot A as shown on said plan 122 ft. South Westerly by two lots measuring 55 ft. South Easterly by another lot marked "Remainder of lot No. 27 as shown on said plan 115 ft. Containing 7138 sq. ft. more or less.

Lot 92 is more particular described as follows: Lot 92 on a plan of land in Newton, Massachusetts, recorded with Middlesex South Registry of Deeds as filed plan 806, and bounded and described as follows: South Westerly by Westchester Road having a curved line as shown on said plan 103.06 ft. Westerly by lot 79 on said plan 46.67 ft. Northerly by lots 80 and 81 on said plan 150.33 ft. Easterly and South Easterly by lot 91 on said plan 123.36 ft. Containing 9180 sq. ft.

HERBERT C. BLACKMER,
Deputy Sheriff.

Dec. 24-31-Jan. 7.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by Daniel A. McLaughlin, of Boston, Suffolk County, Massachusetts, to Joel B. Landy, of Boston, County and Commonwealth aforesaid, dated September 3, 1925, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex, Book 4886, Page 29, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the premises on Monday, January 3, 1927, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said Mortgage Deed, namely:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, including all landlords fixtures now or hereafter placed on the aforesaid premises situated on the Southerly side of and being No. 56-66 Webster Street inclusive, in that part of Newton called West Newton, being shown as Lot A on a plan of land owned by the Newton Estates Trust, West Newton, Massachusetts, dated March 7, 1925, by William E. Leonard, civil engineer, recorded in Book 4836 end, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by said Webster Street one hundred seventy-four and seventy-four one hundredths feet (174.74) feet; Northerly by curve forming junction of Webster with Cherry Street on said plan twenty-three and fifty-eight one hundredths feet (23.58); Northeasterly by Cherry Street seventy-three and ten one hundredths feet (73.10); Southeasterly by other land of Newton Estates Trust shown as Lot B on said plan one hundred sixty-nine and fifty-one one hundredths feet (169.51); Southwesterly by land now or formerly of Ellis ninety-three and twenty-six one hundredths feet; containing according to said plan, 15,982 square feet. **Subject to** a first mortgage for $30,000.00.

Said premises to be sold subject to unpaid taxes, municipal liens and other assessments and betterments, if any there be.

One thousand dollars ($1000) will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms will be announced at the time of sale.

JOEL B. LANDY,
Present holder of said mortgage.

100 Hutchings St.,
Roxbury, Mass.
December 8, 1926.
Dec. 10-17-24.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of
Eliza A. Wellington

late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Carrie W. Trowbridge of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-seventh day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 10-17-24

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate not already administered of Mary J. Ryan late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

MAURICE M. JEPSEN, Adm.

(Address)
11 Jepsen Court,
West Newton, Mass.
November 29, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscribers have been duly appointed executrices of the will of Charles D. Pickard late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds, and by said Julia Pickard Stoessel, appointing George M. Weed of Concord in said County of Middlesex her agent, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscribers.

LENORA PICKARD,
JULIA PICKARD STOESSEL,
Executrices.

(Address)
No. 294 Central Park West,
New York City, N. Y.
December 6, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscribers have been duly appointed administratrices of the estate of Blanche N. Learned late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

MIRIAM L. CARPENTER,
EVELYN L. LANGMAID,
Admxs.

(Address)
Harvey P. L. Partridge,
610 Barristers Hall,
Boston, Mass.
December 4, 1926.
Dec. 10-17-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Bessie McCarthy

late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by William P. Mahoney who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, one of the executors therein named, the other having declined to accept the trust without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, fourteen days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this ninth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 17-24-31.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Josephine S. Wyeth

late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Walter F. Wyeth who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fifth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 17-24-31.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of
T. Wallace Travis

late of Newton in said County, deceased:

WHEREAS, Ida L. Travis the executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and second accounts of her administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the fourth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten oclock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 7-24-31.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Lewson Edwin Chase

late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Florence Gilman Chase who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fifth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 17-24-31.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of
Patrick Moran

late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Elizabeth A. Cody of Newton in said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the thirtieth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten oclock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing post paid a copy of this citation to the next of kin of said deceased, addressed to the last known post office address of each, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 10-17-24.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Annie W. Cumings late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

HARRY P. BRADFORD, Executor.

(Address)
269 Summer St., Boston, Mass.
Dec. 13, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Louise N. Brown late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ANNA E. BROWN, Admx.

(Address)
128 Lowell Ave.,
Newton, Mass.
Dec. 13th, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John Ryan late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

MAURICE M. JEPSON, Adm.

(Address)
11 Jepson Court,
West Newton, Mass.
November 18, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Carl I. Stevens to Roscoe L. Davidson, dated April 5, 1926 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4962, page 22, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on MONDAY the tenth day of January A.D. 1927 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage, with all improvements thereon, and described in said mortgage as follows, viz:—

"A certain parcel of land containing 6890 square feet with the buildings thereon situated on the Southeasterly side of Chapin Road in that part of Newton in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts called Newton Centre, being shown as Lot 28 on Barnes & Beal's plan dated July 1925, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Plan Book 372, plan 8, and said parcel is bounded and described as follows, to wit:—

NORTHWESTERLY by Chapin Road as shown on said plan, sixty-three and 90/100 (63.90) feet;
NORTHEASTERLY by Lot 29 as shown on said plan, one hundred twelve and 57/100 (112.57) feet;
SOUTHEASTERLY by land marked on said plan "Cochituate Aqueduct" sixty-four (64) feet; and
SOUTHWESTERLY by Lot 27 as shown on said plan, one hundred and 32/100 (100.32) feet; together with rights of way in said Chapin Road in common with others entitled thereto.

Being the same premises conveyed to me by W. Mark Noble Jr. by deed dated April 5, 1926, delivered and recorded herewith, and they are conveyed subject to the restrictions thereon noted or referred to and also to the rights, easements, and restrictions referred to in deed recorded with said Deeds, Book 4837, page 39."

The premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes, municipal liens and assessments, if any there be.

$500 cash will be required of the purchaser at time and place of sale. Other terms announced at sale.

ROSCOE L. DAVIDSON, Mortgagee.

F. L. Peirce, Attorney,
73 Tremont Street,
Boston, Mass.
December 14, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

SHERIFF'S SALE
Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, ss. December 2, A.D. 1926.

Taken on execution and will be sold by public auction, on Wednesday, the twelfth day of January A.D. 1927, at one o'clock P.M., at my office, 20 Second Street in Cambridge in said county of Middlesex, all the right, title and interest that ANDREW J. McNEILL of Boston in the County of Suffolk, had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the fourteenth day of October A.D. 1926, at three o'clock and forty-five minutes P.M., being the time when the same was attached on mesne process, in and to the following described real estate, to wit:—

A certain parcel of land with the dwelling house and garage thereon, situated on the northeasterly side of Woodland Road in that part of Newton called Auburndale, in Middlesex County, Massachusetts, and shown as Lot 1 on a plan entitled "Subdivision of Land in Newton, Massachusetts, owned and eveloped by Fred Holland Chamberlin, made by Barnes and Beal, Engineers, dated January 1925, and recorded in Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Plan Book 348, Plan 10, and bounded and described as follows:—

Southwesterly on said Woodland Road, eighty (80) feet; Northwesterly on land now or late of Young, ninety and 91/100 (90.91) feet; Northeasterly by lot 8 shown on said plan, sixty-seven and 18/100 (67.18) feet; Southeasterly by Lot 2 shown on said plan, ninety (90) feet. Containing sixty-six hundred twenty-three (6623) square feet according to said plan.

HERBERT C. BLACKMER,
Deputy Sheriff.

December 17-24-31.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage given by Maude E. Taylor to the Waltham National Bank, dated August 12, 1925, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4875, Page 424, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the premises on Saturday the eighth day of January 1927, at two o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: The land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of Newton called West Newton, being lot 95 on a plan made by J. W. Morrison and Frank O. Whitney, dated June 7, 1888, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 55, Plan 24, bounded and described as follows:—

SOUTHERLY by Elliott Avenue, one hundred three (103) feet;
WESTERLY by Waltham Street, fifty and 25/100 (50.25) feet;
NORTHERLY by lot 94 on said plan, one hundred and 50/100 (100.50) feet; and
EASTERLY by lot 86 on said plan, fifty and 6/100 (50.06) feet.

Containing 5088 square feet of land.

Five hundred (500) Dollars will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time of the sale. Other terms will be announced at the sale.

WALTHAM NATIONAL BANK,
By Henry P. Buncher,
Cashier.

Harvey, Bannan & Bannan, Attorneys.
Dec. 10-17-24.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of
Rosa C. de Larramendi

late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to George Sturgis of Weston in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the thirtieth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 10-17-24.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of
Sarah S. Mumford

late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Charles M. Mumford of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-seventh day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 10-17-24.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Mary Alice Pigott late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

A. FRANCIS HAYDEN,
Executor.

(Address)
67 Milk Street,
Boston, Mass.
Dec. 3, 1926.
Dec. 10-17-24

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Abraham Siegal to Harry L. Nelson, dated May 6th, 1926, and recorded with Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Book 4965, Page 518, for breach of the condition thereof, will be sold at public Auction on Monday the third day of January, 1927, at three o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises described in said mortgage, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage deed, namely: the land in that part of Newton, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, called Newtonville, being shown as lot numbered twenty five on a plan entitled "Subdivision of Land in Newtonville, Mass., belonging to Walter A. Rollins & Co., dated September 1924 by Roland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal," and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Plan Book 351, Plan 3, and bounded and described as follows:— Easterly by Lowell Avenue fifty two and 96/100 feet; NORTHERLY by lot 24 on said plan ninety seven and 97/100 feet; WESTERLY by lot 26 on said plan sixty five and 14/100 feet; and Southerly by Bolton Road as shown on said plan eighty-two and 76/100 feet; and SOUTHEASTERLY by the curve forming the junction of said Lowell Avenue and Bolton Road thirty-three and 36/100 feet. Containing 7026 sq. feet, according to said plan, be any or all of said measurements and contents more or less. Subject to a mortgage held by Medford Trust Company in the sum of Twelve Thousand (12,000) Dollars.

Said premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes or municipal liens.

$200. in cash will be required of the purchaser at time and place of sale.

NEWTON INVESTMENT COMPANY,
by Robert H. Evans, treasurer,
assignee of said mortgage.

H. L. Whittlesey, Atty.
234 Boylston St.
Boston, Mass.
Dec. 10-17-24

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Otis S. Phillips and Gladys K. Phillips, his wife in her right, of Newton, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, to Joseph Paul and G. Augustus Holzman, dated June 1, 1926, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4975, Page 352, for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the mortgaged premises on Saturday, January 8, 1927, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:

"the land in said Newton with the buildings thereon, being the parcel shown on a plan by French & Bryant, dated Dec. 8, 1908, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds at the End of Book 3417. bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by Beacon Street, one hundred twenty and 72/100 (120.72) feet;
Southeasterly by land now or late of Jones, three hundred three and 85/100 (303.85) feet;
Southwesterly by Chestnut Hill Road, one hundred forty-four and 13/100 (144.13) feet on a curve with a radius of about three hundred twenty-three and 63/100 (323.63) feet; and
Northwesterly by land now or late of Henry H. Whitney et al, by a line parallel with the Southeasterly boundary line, three hundred seventy-one and 59/100 (371.59) feet.

Containing 40,000 square feet, be said measurements and contents, more or less, and all according to said plan. Being the same premises conveyed to said Gladys K. Phillips by Laura R. Carter by deed recorded with said Deeds, Book 4301, Page 5.

Said premises are subject to a prior mortgage of $15,000 to the East Boston Savings Bank, dated April 21, 1920, recorded with said Deeds, Book 4343, Page 370."

Said premises will be sold and conveyed subject as aforesaid and to any and all unpaid taxes and municipal assessments thereon, if any.

One thousand Dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale; other terms at the time and place of sale.

JOSEPH PAUL,
G. AUGUSTUS HOLZMAN,
Mortgagees.

Morris B. Frankel, Attorney,
1000 Cambridge Street,
Cambridge, Mass.
Dec. 10-17-24.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Thomas F. Melody

late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Arthur P. Melody and Joseph P. Melody who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-ninth day of December A.D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 10-17-24.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Alice M. Wilson to Gesner H. Roscoe, dated March 18, 1925, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4824, Page 139, of which mortgage deed the undersigned is the present holder, the same having been assigned to it on July 2, 1925; for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction on the premises hereinafter described at ten o'clock A. M. on the Third day of January, 1927, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, and therein described as follows, namely:

"A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon and all privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging; situated in that part of Newton, called Newtonville, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, being shown as lot 20 on a plan of land in Newtonville belonging to Walter A. Rollins dated March 13, 1923 by E. S. Smille, Surveyor, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 317, Plan 25, said lot No. 20 is bounded:

Southerly by Commonwealth Avenue, eighty (80) feet;
Westerly by lot 18 on said plan, one hundred (100) feet;
Northerly by lot 21 on said plan, eighty (80) feet;
Easterly by lot 22 on said plan, one hundred (100) feet;

Containing eight thousand (8000) square feet of land.

Being the same premises conveyed to me by deed of Gesner H. Roscoe of even date to be recorded herewith.

Subject to a mortgage to the Westborough Savings Bank upon which there remains unpaid the sum of Ninety-Eight Hundred and Seventy-Five (9875) Dollars.

Subject to restrictions of record in so far as the same are now in force and effect and also subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments if any."

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Robert T. Fowler and Alice E. Fowler, wife of said Robert T. Fowler to the Institution for Savings in Roxbury and its Vicinity, dated September 11, 1923, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds Book 4654 page 57, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Monday the twenty-fourth day of January 1927, at three o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situate in Newton and shown as lot "A" on a plan by Walter C. Bates C. E., dated August 8, 1923, to be recorded herewith and bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Beacon Street ninety-one feet. Northwesterly by the junction of Beacon Street and Upland Road by a curved line twenty-two and 80/100 feet. Westerly by Upland Road seventy-five and 33/100 feet. Southerly by lot 'B' on said plan ninety-eight and 25/100 feet and Easterly by lot 'C' on said plan ninety feet. Containing 9140 square feet. Being part of the premises conveyed to Alice E. Fowler by deed dated February 28, 1922 recorded Middlesex South District Deeds Book 4496 page 244. See also Book 4544 page 138. This conveyance is made subject to restrictions of record if any there be.

Said premises will be sold subject to said restrictions if any there be and so far as now in force and applicable and subject to any tax sales, unpaid taxes or other municipal liens or assessments whatsoever.

Terms: Three hundred dollars to be paid in cash or certified check by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms to be stated at the sale.

INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS IN ROXBURY AND VICINITY,
Mortgagee and present holder of said mortgage,
by HENRY WEST, Treasurer.

Boston.
December 22, 1926.
Dec. 24-31-Jan. 7.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of
Percival A. Evans
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Wilmot R. Evans who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him without giving a surety on his bond, or to some other suitable person, the executrix named in said will having declined to accept the trust.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Dec. 24-31-Jan. 7.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Robert C. Bridgham
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Adelaide L. Bridgham who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Dec. 24-31-Jan. 7

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the next of kin and all others interested in the estate of
Frank Theodore Goodwin
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, State Street Trust Company the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance the first account of its administration on said estate and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in its hands among the next of kin of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twelfth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by delivering or mailing post-paid a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.
Dec. 24-31-Jan. 7.

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AUTO ACCIDENTS

Automobiles driven by William Overless, 219 Commonwealth avenue, Chestnut Hill, and Germanus Perino, 50 Winchester road, Newton, collided on the dangerous S turn on Cabot street Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock. Mr. Overless and his wife received cuts from the flying glass. They were taken to the Newton Hospital for treatment.

Monday morning at 8.30 an automobile driven by Arthur Leary, 29 Henshaw street, Brighton, while traveling west on Washington street, hit Edmond Morgan, 7 of 18 Hovey street. The child received a cut on the lip which was treated by Dr. Joseph O'Leary of Washington street. Dr. Leary stated that the boy was running across the street and ran into the rear mudguard of the car.

HUNNEWELL CLUB

In the recent Ladies' afternoon bowling tournament, which concluded December 17th, at the Hunnewell Club, the winners were as follows:

First team prize: Team No. 5, Mrs. F. P. Scofield, Mrs. H. P. Curtiss, Mrs. G. G. Webster, Mrs. Frank Jay and Mrs. W. H. Macdonald.

Second team prize: Team No. 2, Mrs. Edward Mellus, Mrs. D. M. Goodridge, Mrs. E. W. Crawford, Mrs. H. Moore and Mrs. N. P. Cutler, Jr.

High Average: Mrs. W. A. Somerby, 83.

High three string total (handicap): Mrs. P. S. Jamieson, 72-98-69=239 and 43=282.

High single string (scratch): tie between Mrs. C. C. Colby and Mrs. F. P. Scofield, each bowling 100.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Newton Council held a Whist and Forty-Five tournament after its meeting Tuesday night in Elks Hall. The proceeds were devoted to the Christmas Charity Fund.

Newton Council will distribute Christmas baskets to a number of worthy poor families.

The prizes for the bowling tournament held at West Newton on December 14 were awarded at the meeting Tuesday night.

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Newton

—Miss Constance Parker of Nonantum street spent the week end in Connecticut.

—Miss Barbara Macuen is on the honor roll for the first term at Dean Academy.

—Mrs. Creighton J. Hill of Charlesbank road is leaving Sunday for a trip to Mexico.

—Mr. Arthur S. Flinn of Pembroke street returned this week from a trip to New York.

—Mr. Charles A. Drew fractured a small bone in his foot while in Boston last Friday.

—Mr. Hubert Herring of Kenrick park is in Mexico for work on the Mexican problems.

—Mr. William P. Ellison has been elected a member of the class day committee at Harvard.

—Miss Muriel Naylor of Hunnewell avenue is at home from Cayeuga, N. Y., for the holiday season.

—Mr. R. A. Aubun, '21, is a member of the Harvard committee on the Lionel de Jersey Studentship.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Raines of Scituate are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Hinckley of Park street.

—Mrs. George D. Burrage of the "Warren" is with her sisters in New Haven, Conn., for the holidays.

—Mr. and Mrs. William E. Earle of Maple avenue are spending the Christmas season in Washington, D. C.

—Miss Eugenie Bradshaw of Church street is spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Arthur W. Holt of Chicago.

—Mrs. Charles Peterson of Hibbard road is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Elliot Barker of Lincoln, N. H.

—Mr. George Defren has been elected a member of the Membership committee of the Twentieth Century Club of Boston.

—Mrs. M. A. G. Meads of Tremont street was badly injured last week when the lurch of a trolley car threw her against a seat and fractured three ribs.

—Mr. and Mrs. John T. Burns have issued invitations for the wedding of their daughter, Madeline Anita and Mr. Edward David Hogan to take place at the Church of Our Lady, Saturday morning, January 8th. A reception at the Newton Club will follow immediately after the ceremony.

—Charles River Country Club was the scene, on Wednesday evening, of a small dance given by Mrs. Vernon B. Swett and Mrs. Robert G. Howard for their younger daughters, Miss Elizabeth Swett and Miss Nancy Gay Howard. Mr. William Swett headed the corps of ushers, among whom were, The Messrs. Franklin Huntress, George Dunham, Frank Soule, and Hamilton Lincoln of Newton, Wendell Carr of Chestnut Hill, Jack Curtis of Wellesley Hills, and John Rosenfelt of Waban. The club was tastefully decorated in hemlock, holly and mistletoe, with clusters of red and green balloons, to carry out the holiday colors. Many Christmas trees formed the background of the receiving line. Mrs. Howard was gowned in black beaded georgette and carried pink roses, while Mrs. Swett wore a dress of silver tissue, and carried lavender sweet peas. Miss Elizabeth Swett's gown of periwinkle blue was a pleasing contrast to Miss Nancy Howard's shell pink dress. About 50 couples were present. A number of dinner parties were given previous to the dance.

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—Miss Laura Drake and Miss Prudence Drake of Bennington street are at home from Connecticut College.

—Mrs. Frances S. Friend of the Hunnewell is entertaining friends from New York and Western Massachusetts.

—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Barber of Newtonville avenue are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lawrence of the Fenway.

—Mrs. Abbie A. Kelly of Tremont street has returned from the Arlington Hospital where she has been during a long and serious illness.

—Among the boys at home from college for the Christmas vacation are Jack Gibson from Dartmouth and Ralph Bischoff from Wesleyan.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jameson Brown are leaving for Beverly Hills, California, for the winter and have rented their house furnished to Mr. A. I. Hall of Rochester, New Hampshire.

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—The Annual Christmas Party of the Methodist church was held Thursday evening in the church vestry. There was the usual Christmas tree with presents for all and an entertainment by the younger members of the congregation.

—On Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock the choir of the Eliot Church will render Matthew's "The Story of Christmas." The cantata will be presented by the church Quartet assisted by a vested chorus of 35 voices under the direction of Mr. Everett E. Truette, Organist and choir master.

—The Junior Department of the Eliot Sunday School had their Christmas Party in the Chapel Tuesday evening. There was a beautifully decorated Christmas tree with presents for all. Miss Bessie Stratton gave an illustrated reading of Henry Van Dyke's book, "The Other Wise Man." Games under the leadership of Mr. Lewis Davis and Miss Edith Boothby were enjoyed by both pupils and teachers. Refreshments were served by the mothers, one from each class.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dunmore of Sargent street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

—Miss Marguerite Green of Maple avenue is spending the Christmas vacation in Bridgton, Maine.

—Because of Christmas falling on Saturday, the collection of ashes in Ward 1 will be performed next Monday.

—John and Mary Clark, children of Mr. and Mrs. Alden Clark are the guests of Mrs. W. A. Spurrier of Church street.

—Mrs. Myron Chellis and son of Amesbury are visiting Mrs. Chellis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bacon of Fairview street.

—Miss Mary Heard of Vassar is spending the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Heard of Waverley avenue.

—Mrs. Hubert Herring and children of Kenrick park are spending the vacation season with Mrs. Herring's parents in New York.

—Miss Virginia Spurrier of Church street entertained at dinner Wednesday evening before the dance given by Mrs. Vernon B. Swett.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Conant of Pembroke street are spending the week with their daughter, Mrs. Allan C. Emery of Weymouth Heights.

—Mrs. Hodges, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harold Fuller of Washington street left this week for a winter in Orange, N. J.

—Miss Eleanor Clark, Miss Emily Blaisdell, Miss Dorothy Fernald and Miss Margaret Barba are at home from Wheaton for the Christmas vacation.

—Mr. A. Carter Flinn of Pembroke street has returned from a month's business trip to Pennsylvania and is spending the holidays with his parents.

—Mrs. Katherine C. Smith of The Hollis will have the sympathy of her friends in the death this week at New Bedford of her mother, Mrs. Abbie T. Cole.

—Miss Margaret Bascom of Mount Holyoke college is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Bascom of Washington street.

—Miss Ethel Hutchinson, the well known pianist, formerly of Kenrick street this city, gave a very successful recital at Jordan Hall last Tuesday evening.

—Mrs. C. B. Beasom of Shornecliffe road gave a tea Wednesday afternoon for her daughter, Mrs. Stephan of Long Island, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. Stephan are spending the holiday season with Mr. and Mrs. Beasom.

—Christmas festivities for the younger set started last Saturday evening when Mrs. George F. Schrafft entertained fifty young people, for her second daughter Elizabeth, at their palatial home on Centre street, Newton. This group belongs to the dancing class under the direction of Signor Paparone. On this occasion the dancing master gave a brilliant performance of the Valencia, Argentine Waltz and the Tango in costume, assisted by one of the instructors at the Paparone School of Dancing.

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—Mrs. J. G. Patterson of Central street has recovered from her recent illness.

—There will be a special New Year's service at the Centenary M. E. Church on Sunday, Dec. 26.

—Dr. Guy M. Winslow is a member of the Nominating Committee of the Twentieth Century Club of Boston.

—Mrs. Ray Adams of Sharon avenue has recovered from her recent illness and has returned from the Newton Hospital.

—Mr. Waldo W. Cole, for thirty-four years the choir director at the Congregational church has resigned and has been elected as honorary chorister of the church.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Ethel Mae Tonry of Natick to Mr. Clarence Alonzo Carpenter of Turner, Maine. Miss Tonry was prominent among Newton's younger set and lived in Auburndale until a year ago, when she moved to Natick.

—Funeral services for Lawrence Roche of 173 Woodland road were held Monday morning at Corpus Christi Church, Auburndale. Mr. Roche, who was formerly in business in Roxbury, died suddenly last Friday after returning home from the paper store. He was 74 years of age.

—The yearly Christmas Parish Night at the Centenary M. E. Church was celebrated Thursday evening by a repetition of the operetta, "The Spirit of Christmas." This was given under the direction of Mrs. Earl Harper as one of the entertainments at the Chataqua, and by request was repeated last night. After the entertainment there was a Christmas tree with candy and presents for all. This was followed by a social hour and refreshments were served.

POLICE NEWS

Steve Bencini, 34, of 10 Pelham St., Newton Centre, was arrested Saturday night by Serg. Bannon and Officer Conlon, charged with breaking and entering and larceny. Friday night DiVasta's fruit store was entered, the cash drawer and register rifled, and $14 stolen. Suspicion pointed to Bencini. The police claim he unlocked a cellar door, and climbed up a ladder to the store. He was in Court Monday morning. Probable cause was found and he was bound over to the Grand Jury in $2000 bonds.

D. Frank Mahoney of 70 Prospect Park, Newtonville, reported to the police Sunday night that a Cadillac touring car was stolen from his garage sometime between 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon and 5 o'clock Sunday morning. Entrance to the garage was effected through an unlocked window.

EMPLOYEES LAID OFF

During the past week 95 employees of the Street Department were laid off because practically all of the construction work on the highways for which money had been appropriated, had been finished. Some of the men engaged in this work were transferred to the Sewer Division and others were given work in the Forestry Division. The men laid off were the newer employees of the Department. The Civil Service laws require that seniority be observed in the matter of regular employment. This suspension from work of part of the employees is an annual occurrence. The work this year for the full complement of laborers lasted some weeks longer than it had in previous years.

NEWTON 25 YEARS AGO

From the Graphic of Dec. 27, 1901

Newton and Watertown Gas Light Company moves to new quarters on Washington street.

Mayor Pickard to give public reception to Mayor-elect John W. Weeks.

Death of Dr. Alfred S. Wiley of Newton Highlands.

New police station for division 1 being built next to Armory on Washington street, Newton.

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Newton Highlands	554.31
Auburndale	503.80
Chestnut Hill	441.00
Newton Upper Falls	164.36
Newton Lower Falls	50.40

NEWTON HOSPITAL

Week ending December 18: Patients in hospital 112; patients paying as much as cost of care or more 60; patients paying less than cost of care 22; free patients. including babies 30; patients treated by out-patient department 99; accident cases 7; babies born, boys 6, girls 5.

Miss Elizabeth Ross, a graduate of the hospital, who recently completed her work with the Newton District Nursing Association, is now at work preparing for the opening of the Norfolk Cancer Hospital where she is to be the superintendent of nurses.

Last Sunday evening twenty-six members of the Newton Highlands Glee Club entertained the nurses with solos and chorus selections and also joined with the nurses in the singing of Christmas carols.

The Know More Kokki Klub met at the hospital Monday evening and discussed interesting cases.

Christmas Day at the hospital none of the nurses will take any time off but all of them will do all they can to make the day as cheerful a one as possible for the patients. The Christmas program at the hospital will begin Christmas Eve at 7.30 with the singing of carols by the choir of St. Mary's Church in Newton Lower Falls. Christmas morning at 5.30 the nurses will start from their home and march about the buildings softly singing carols and conclude their march on the hill where they will have hot coffee and doughnuts. At seven the Newton Highlands Glee Club, with trumpeters, will sing in the hospital grounds. At eight the choir boys of the Newton Highlands Episcopal Church will visit the hospital and sing carols. At half past ten there will be exercises about the Christmas tree in the children's ward and to decorate the tree the patients in the children's ward have been busy stringing pop corn. The Christmas breakfast will include tangerines, cream of wheat, chops, biscuits and coffee and cream. For the Christmas dinner at noon the menu is half grape fruit with cherry, roast turkey with dressing and gravy, mashed potato with minced parsley, squash, celery, olives, and pickles, steamed pudding with foamy sauce, mince pie, pumpkin pie, ice cream, raisins, nuts, and candy, coffee and cream. For supper there will be salad, toast and tea. Every nurse and every patient at the hospital will have a Christmas present. Presents for the ward patients will be on each pillow ready to be examined on wakening. For the patients in the private rooms there will be for each one a minature market basket filled with fruit and a holly decorated napkin to be carried in with the breakfast trays. There will be also for patients and nurses presents sent in by friends from the outside. Any one who wishes to do so may make to the hospital a present that will help to make the main entrance hall of Founders a bit brighter decorated by giving a large flowering plant, a fern or a small evergreen tree to be placed on the big stand in the middle of the hall.

KIWANIS CLUB

The members of the Newton Kiwanis Club enjoyed themselves immensely at their meeting on Tuesday. A small Christmas tree was placed in the centre of the club's dining place at the Auburndale Club, and following the weekly dinner, a real live Santa Claus was given the "bum's rush" into the hall by a member of the Newton Police force. When Santa had recovered his breath he proceeded to distribute the presents to the members with appropriate, or inappropriate remarks. Santa Claus, in the person of W. Uriah Fogwill, was full of pep, and received a bottle of angostura bitters, as a present ,to regale him after his exertions. The gifts were not supposed to cost over 10 cents each. In most cases this rule was observed, although a few of the presents were more valuable, including a quart of milk and a half-pint of heavy cream, contributed by Frank Pope and received by Rev. Earl Harper. Mark Croker was the recipient of a bottle containing a half-pint of very muddy liquid, alleged to be "pure Newton water." One member was given a bottle of poison, donated by a "friend" of his.

DEATHS

WALSH; on Dec. 20, at 21 Marlboro street, Newton, Mrs. Annie T. Walsh, age 80 yrs.

WHALEN; on Dec. 22, at 246 Derby street, West Newton, Mrs. Margaret Whalen, age 63 yrs.

CONROY; on Dec. 21, at 182 Cherry street, West Newton, Helen M. Conroy, age 35 yrs.

DARMODY; on Dec. 22 at 137 River street, West Newton, William Darmody.

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GIRLS' CONFERENCE

"A Girls' Conference, of girls, for girls, and run only by girls without the assistance of their elders," is the slogan of a unique convention which is being planned at the Girl Scout Headquarters on Newbury street. It will take place on Jan. 7, 8, and 9, at the Newton High School Assembly Hall, and will constitute the first annual convention of the Girl Scouts in the Metropolitan Boston division of that movement.

The unique aspect of this meeting lies in the fact that the officials and volunteer leaders of the Girl Scout movement have stepped aside completely, as far as it is concerned, and they will not be allowed even to attend all the sessions. Girls between the ages of 13 and 18 are in complete charge, and are planning the program, choosing their speakers, arranging entertainment and providing for the housing of the 400 or more other girls of the same ages who will attend from 35 cities and towns in Metropolitan Boston.

Miss Sarah Louise Arnold of Lincoln, President of the National Girl Scouts, and Mrs. Arthur W. Hartt, State Commissioner of the organization in Massachusetts, will address one of the sessions. Miss Ethel DeMille, however, a 16-year-old second lieutenant of a Girl Scout troop at Thompsonville and a member of the Senior Troop at Newton Centre, is chairman of the committee which is organizing the convention, and Miss Mary Doyle of South Boston is vice-chairman.

Other assistants have been chosen for Miss de Mille from the various Newton troops, and in all there is a general committee of between 30 and 40 girls. Miss Janice Upham of Newton is in charge of housing; Miss Carrol Foster of Arlington, of hospitality; Miss Mildred Waite of Lexington, of the program; Miss Barbara Estey of Malden, of publicity; Miss Bettina King of Melrose, of the social activities, and Miss Mary Widlund of Quincy, of registration.

This committee began its work on Nov. 27, and has been busy ever since. It held a second meeting December 18 at the Girl Scout Headquarters on Newbury street, and others will be held there, at which speakers will be chosen, programs formed, and transportation and the many other details of a convention handled by the girls themselves. Each sub-committee is allowed to select an adult advisor, who may give whatever advice is requested, but otherwise the girls are absolutely running the convention themselves without adult assistance.

The tentative program calls for a social evening at the Newton High School on Friday, Jan. 7, at which the 400 or more delegates will be allowed to get acquainted through games, songs, and registration. Ethel de Mille will speak on "The Purposes of the Convention," and several officials will probably be present as guests of their scouts.

Saturday morning will be a serious session, for girls only, at which Miss Doyle will preside, and they will discuss at length such questions as community service, the older scout, the younger scouts, scout uniforms, home service, the Girl Scout spirit, the ideal captain, scout camps, and the humdrum necessity of raising money. No adults will be around to hear what they have to say, and the younger generation will discuss themselves and their movement.

Following luncheon, there will be opportunity for recreation either through a hike through the Newton woods or in the gymnasium of the High School. Later in the afternoon there will be another season at which reports will be rendered on local Girl Scout activities by the delegates from the various cities and towns represented, and in the evening there will be another public meeting, at which Miss Arnold, Mrs. Hartt, and other officials will be present to speak. Entertainment will be furnished by various scout groups, and there will be social activities.

On Sunday a "Scouts' Own" will be conducted, the religious service peculiar to this movement, and the conference will close with afternoon tea and a final social gathering of the delegates before departure for their homes. During their stay in Newton, these 400 girls are to be quartered in various residences of the city, among friends of the Girl Scout movement and others interested in assisting this conference.

This convention is the result of a movement which began in Atlanta, Ga., two years ago, when the forum style of meeting, conducted entirely by the girls themselves, was first attempted. It was so successful there that it was tried out in Springfield, Mass., where the second annual conference of this type was held on Dec. 3, 4, and 5, with even greater success. Miss Edith Sinnett, director of Metropolitan-Boston Division of Girl Scouts, suggested the coming conference at a meeting of commissioners held on Nov. 13. A committee of girls representing 13 communities is in charge.

Delegates will represent 204 Girl Scout troops, and about 5,000 individual Girl Scouts. Each delegate will bring previously prepared problems to be submitted to the Conference for settlement, and when these girls return to their homes to assist the volunteer leaders and officials of he Girl Scout movement, in the conduct of their troops, a great impetus in the movement is anticipated.

The preliminary committee in charge of the convention is as follows: Miss Ethel de Mille of Newton, Miss Mary Doyle of South Boston, Miss Janice Upham of Newton, Miss Marion Frost of Newton, Miss Eleanor C. Burnham of Newton, Miss Barbara Estey of Malden, Miss Carroll Foster of Arlington, Miss Mildred Waite of Lexington, Miss Bettina King of Melrose, and Miss Mary Widlund of Atlantic. Also Audrey Scammel, Anna Morris, Mildred Saunders, Elizabeth Mudge, Helen Bennett, Elizabeth Cooke, Jean Slocombe, Priscilla Delano, Doris Atchison, Dorothea Salmon, Lilie Chapman, Margaret Dean, Dorothy Daniels, Sara Kellog, Margaret Knapp, Jeannette Briggs, Elizabeth Lawrence.

NEWTON WATER

Water Commisioner Whitney changed over the water supply early yesterday morning from the Metropolitan system to the regular Newton source of supply. This water will be used until the Edison Co. can furnish power for the contemplated work at the Upper Falls and Needham.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The gold watch awarded by Newton Council at its meeting Tuesday night, was presented to Edward F. Leavitt of 151 Pearl street, Newton. The Council was unusually successful this year in raising funds for its Christmas Charity activity. An appreciable amount was realized.

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THE FULLER GARAGE

Appeal Taken From Fine of $50 For Illegal Selling Of Gasoline

Gasoline pumps are structures when used in conjunction with garages or buildings used as filling stations. So ruled Judge Robert Frost in the Newton District Court on December 23rd. In accordance with this ruling he found Levi Wilcutt guilty of using structures for the sale of gasoline without having a proper permit, and fined him $50. Attorney Harry Ross, representing Wilcutt, took an appeal to the Superior Court, which will be held at Cambridge next month. The case which took three hours to hear, marked another step in the determined fight which is being waged by Mr. Wilcutt and Attorney Ross to be allowed to sell gasoline from two pumps which were erected some weeks ago outside the Fuller Garage at 966 Watertown street, West Newton. As was stated in the GRAPHIC a few weeks ago, these pumps are on a small triangular piece of land at the junction of Watertown street and Davis court. This piece of land was left unoccupied by a restriction imposed by the Aldermen last year when the permit was granted for the erection of the Fuller Garage. The permit also stiplated that this unoccupied land should be surrounded by a low wall to prevent the passage of automobiles over it.

Early last Spring, Judge Thomas Weston, as attorney for Fishel Bros., the original owners of the Fuller Garage, petitioned the aldermen for a permit to erect outside pumps at 966 Watertown street, the locus of the garage. This petition was given leave to withdraw. Subsequently the garage changed ownership a couple of times. Some weeks ago, to the surprise of those who knew of the refusal of the aldermen to grant a permit for an outside gasoline station at this place, two pumps were erected on the restricted area. No action was taken against the management of the garage until at the aldermanic meeting of December 6th. Alderman Hodgdon of the License Committee interrogated City Solicitor Bartlett regarding the legality of the matter. Mr. Bartlett gave the opinion that the pumps were being used illegally and said, "It was up to the Chief of Police to stop the sale of gasoline from them.

Attorney Ross, learning that Chief Burke intended to apply for a complaint against Mr. Levi Wilcutt, manager of the garage, asked for a hearing to argue against the complaint being issued. This hearing was held in the Court House at West Newton on December 18th, before Judge Brown of East Boston. Chief Burke representing the prosecution had present as witnesses City Clerk Grant, Fire Chief Randlett, and Ex-Alderman Henry Lloyd, who was Chairman of the License Committee in 1925. Judge Brown suggested to Mr. Ross that the Board of Aldermen might revoke the permit if the condition specified (the erection of the low wall around the restricted area) when the original permit was granted for the garage will not be complied with.

Mr. Ross contended that this piece of land had been used as "a right of way" for many years, and thus it would be illegal to order it enclosed. He also argued that it is unfair to impose the fulfillment of the condition on his clients when three previous owners of the garage did not observe it. Judge Brown observed that the present owners bought the property with the conditions attached. He also commented that "If a right of way has existed there as claimed, it has been a consentive right of way," and he as-

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A GREAT SUCCESS

Reunion of the Alumni of the Newton High Schools Attracts 650 Former Pupils Who Enjoy a Long and Excellent Program

The alumni of Newton High School held a re-union Wednesday night in the new high school building at Newtonville. The affair was successful beyond the fondest expectations of the committee which arranged it. This committee, composed of alumni of the school who are members of the High School faculty, assisted by Mr. Bacon, Mr. Palmer, Mr. Maxim, and others of the faculty, had hardly hoped to see over 300 past pupils and graduates of Newton High attend the banquet and re-union, even though several thousands of invitations were sent out. More than double this number responded. Six hundred and fifty persons were present, and one hundred more tickets could have been sold on Wednesday.

Those in charge of the affair were particularly pleased with the attendance of the old graduates. The first class to graduate from Newton High School was that of 1861. The only known survivor of this class is Miss Elizabeth Spear of 89 Walnut street, Newton. She was unable to attend, but sent a letter telling of her affection for the old school and her loyalty to it. Representatives of all the other classes of the 60s were present. Likewise all the classes from 1870 to 1877 were represented. Three who graduated in 1876 held a "fiftieth year reunion." Strangely enough, of the five classes which were not represented—three were those of 1878-1879-1880. The others were 1885 and 1887. The class of 1926 had 39 present. Second in numbers was 1924 with 36. The class of 1895 really led the van. This class graduated 31 years ago, and 31 of its members attended. The class of 1891 also deserves honorable mention; 21 from this class showed their loyalty to the school by coming.

From 5.30 until 7.00 the hundreds of young and old grads were conducted to the receiving line by a corps of ushers, there to be presented to Mayor Childs, Director of Secondary Education Francis L. Bacon, Principal Irving O. Palmer of the High School, Associate Principal Michael W. Murray, Mrs. I. O. Palmer, Mrs. Helen Hutchinson, a member of the school committee, and Miss Margaret McGill.

At 7 o'clock the assemblage proceeded from the gymnasium, where the reception had been held, to the cafeteria, where seated by classes, an enjoyable dinner was partaken of. Some of the graduates who had not seen one another for years would have found re-introductions necessary were it not for the little identification cards which were provided. Time had dealt more lightly with some than with others.

The dinner having been concluded, the 650 Newton High "boys" and "girls" went upstairs to the beautiful new auditorium where for an hour the Alumni Orchestra, under the able direction of Mr. Charles Harrington, gave a delightful program. Mr. Harrington explained that the orchestra has had but few rehearsals. In view of this fact, the character of the music and the excellence of its rendition presages a very successful future for the Alumni Orchestra. All former members of the school, possessing musical ability, were extended an invitation to join.

Following the concert, Mr. Bacon introduced Mayor Childs as toastmaster. The Mayor told of some good advice he had received from Miss Jennie Ireson regarding brevity in speaking.

He then read a letter from Mrs. Catherine Lee Bates of Wellesley, whom he called the School's most distinguished alumnus and in whose honor, a verse of "America the Beautiful," was sung. Mrs. Bates is the author of that well known hymn.

There was also another letter from "Emma Johnson" of Hartford, a former well beloved teacher.

Other letters were read from Mr. Edward J. Goodwin, who as principal of the school in the 90s won the respect of those who taught and studied under him; Miss Frances P. Owen of Brunswick, Maine, who retired last year after 35 years of faithful service, and from another former principal—S. Warren Davis of West Newton, eulogized by Mayor Childs as "A great teacher, and as one who showed us how to be a gentleman at all times and under all conditions."

Mr. Davis' letter was received with the heartiest applause of the evening.

The first speaker called upon was William Park '26, now a student at Williams. Mr. Park in a brief and witty speech asserted that the magnificent new building which had aroused the admiration of those present, was erected because the Class of 1926 had attained such heights of perfection, that some added incentive must be provided for the classes following. Mayor Childs then introduced Mrs. Walter B. Warren, who was Catherine Hooper '95. Mrs. Warren amused the audience with a clever impersonation of an irate wife endeavoring to obtain over the telephone an explanation from a husband who had concocted a tale of an overnight business trip to permit him to indulge in a poker game. Miss Margaret McGill ,a former popular teacher, now in charge of the Women's Educational and Industrial Union at Bostin, reminisced of her experiences at Newton High and expressed her gratitude to her former pupils for their manifestations of appreciation for her work with them.

Herbert Hansen '23, told of the Newton boys at Dartmouth and their loyalty to the old high school. Dorothy Stebbins '20, arrayed in a gown which in the gay 90's was considered real stunning, caused much merriment with her clever monologue. Mayor Childs next introduced Judge Thomas Weston, remarking that the judge and he are cousins, but neither is responsible for this fact. Mr. Weston sustained his reputation as a wit, keeping his auditors laughing with humorous stories and sallies. Mr. Samuel Thurber, supervisor of the English Department in the school, told of the growth of the high school since he started as a member of its teaching staff 24 years ago. When he came there were 32 teachers and 800 pupils. Now the school has a faculty of 132 and a student enrolment of over 2300. Of the 132 teachers, 57 are men, a decided contrast to the old days, when nearly all the teachers were women. He referred to the greatly increased library facilities now enjoyed. In place of one small library, poorly supplied, and little patronized, students now have the privilege of studying in two large, well stocked libraries, presided over by trained librarians. Mr. Thurber dwelt on the different manner in which pupils of the present

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SCOUT CONFERENCE

Girl Scouts of Newton Will Have Charge of Metropolitan District Conference Next Week

The Newton Girl Scouts are looking forward eagerly to the New Year, for during the very first week of 1927 the first Girls' Conference of the Metropolitan District will be held right here in Newton at the High School. Three hundred and seventy delegates are expected to attend the conference from other cities and towns in the district, and for three glorious days, January 7th, 8th, and 9th, they will live, work and play together with their Newton hostesses.

This is the girls' own conference, and the problems of housing, transportation, program, and entertainment are being worked out by the scouts themselves with whatever aid they may request from their parents and scout officers. The evening session on January 8th will be open to the scout public, and a program for this occasion has been arranged which includes the pageant of the American flag which was given by the Newton scouts at the rally on December 3d. Offers of help and co-operation have been received from the local Boy Scout Council and from many citizens who are not otherwise connected with scouting.

Miss Ethel de Mille of Newton Centre has been chosen the general Chairman for the Conference. Miss Janice Upham of Waban is chairman of the Housing Committee with Miss Caroline Freeman as advisor and Miss Marion Frost, chairman of Transportation with Mrs. Leslie Cobb Warren as advisor. These two committees are so important and have so much work that a subcommittee has been appointed in each village to assist.

In Newton, Katherine Sprague is local chairman of Housing with Mrs. Sprague as advisor and Virginia Brown has charge of Transportation.

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Suggestions
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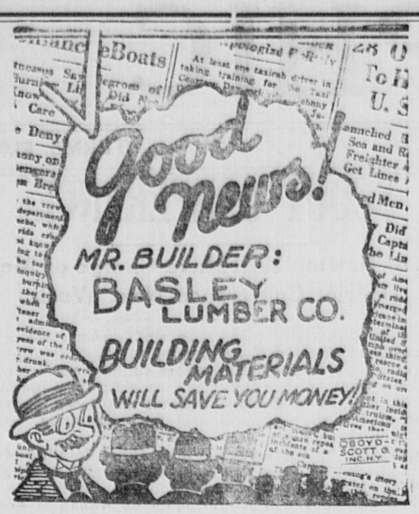
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THE WEEK IN NEWTON SPORTS

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ALUMNI DEFEATED

Last night in the old high school gymnasium the high school track team defeated the alumni 41 to 36 in one of the closest meets that ever was run. The alumni went into the lead early in the evening by taking eight points in the shotput when Hardy and deMille finished one, two. Hardy added to the alumni's lead when he took first in the broad jump with a leap of 9 feet, 8 inches. In the high jump the schoolboys nearly tied it up as all Henrich of the alumni could get was a third place. Hammond won this event for the undergraduates at a height of 5 feet, 8 inches. Gallagher, now of Dartmouth, had little difficulty in taking the 30-yard hurdles. It was expected that Walter McQuiston, also a Dartmouth man, would push Gallagher hard, but after nosing out his college mate in the first heat and taking a false start in the final heat he had to be content with third place as Cole of the schoolboy runners edged him out.

Cole showed that he is not a flash in the pan and that he has in him the ability of a crack sprinter as in the 30-yard dash semi-final he forced McQuiston to do 3 9/10 seconds to qualify for the finals which McQuiston won in the same time over Sears and Fullerton.

The 300-yard run was a clean-up for the high school with Kollmyer, Bierstow and Brookings finishing in that order. This event was run in two heats against time. Rising of Bowdoin pushed the victor hard for two laps in the first heat but slipped and fell on one of the old banks and was out of it. In the second heat McQuiston also took a spill which eliminated the alumni from any possible point scoring.

The 600-yard run was easily captured by John Duane of Boston College with Sears, another alumnus taking second. McManus of Newton added a point by taking third.

The schoolboys scored another cleanup in the 1000-yard run with Hession, Maybe and Confree finishing in that order. These nine points tied the count with 36 points each and the relay teams lined up for the final event.

Kollmyer for the schoolboys and Duane for the alumni led off and ran the two laps on practically even terms. Kollmyer had the pole and managed to beat Duane to the first bank which gave the high school the lead. He touched off Mullin about two strides before Duane reached Hardy. This pair also ran about even but Hardy could not pass the little undergraduate. Cole was the third runner for the high school and he again proved his mettle. It was a rare sight to see him skim around the two laps and open up a lead of over twenty yards over Fay. Fay nearly took a header on the second time around which gave Cole at least five yards of his lead. McQuiston had no chance to gain on Captain Fullerton of the school team and the race and the meet went to the undergraduates.

Between two of the events, A. W. Bell, a graduate of Newton high in 1913, gave an exhibition half-mile walk in an effort to break the track record of 3 min., 28 2/5 sec., set by C. V. Moore in 1894. Bell took the first two laps at a terrific pace and it probably lost him his chance to set a new mark as, although he made a strong finish, he slowed down considerably at the quarter-mile mark and his time was nine seconds slower than the record. Bell is a member of the B. A. A. track team and holds the 1926 New England indoor half-mile walk championship for 1926 and held the outdoor title in 1925.

The summary:

Shot put—Won by Hardy, A., 40 ft., 7½ in.; second, deMille, A., 37 ft., 11½ in.; third, Macey, N., 37 ft.

High Jump—Won by Hammond, N., 5 ft., 8 in.; second, Ebelhare, N., 5 ft., 6 in.; third, Henrich, N., 5 ft., 2 in.

Broad Jump—Won by Hardy, A., 9 ft., 8 in.; tie for second between Fullerton and Hammond, N., 9 ft., 7¼ in.

30-yard hurdles—First heat, won by McQuiston, A.; second, Gallagher, A., 4 2/5 sec.; second heat, won by Cole, N., second, Henrich, A., 4 2/5 sec.; heat for second men, won by Gallagher, 4 3/5 sec.; final heat won by Gallagher, A.; second, Cole, N.; third, McQuiston, A., 4 1/5 sec.

30-yard dash—First heat, won by Fullerton, N.; second, Sears, A., 4 sec.

Second heat, won by McQuiston, A.; second, Kinraide, N., 4 sec.

Third heat, won by Cole, N.; second, Fay, A., 4 sec.

Semi-final heat, won by Sears, A.; second, Fullerton, N., 4 sec.

Semi-final heat, won by McQuiston, A.; second, Cole, N., 3 9/10 sec.

Final heat, won by McQuiston; second, Sears; third, Fullerton, 3 9/10 sec.

300-yard run—Won by Kollmyer, N.; second, Bierstow, N.; third, Brookings, N., 36 sec.

600-yard run—Won by Duane, A.; second, Sears, A.; third, McManus, 1 min., 20 2/5 sec.

1000-yard run—Won by Hession, N.; second, Maybe, N.; third, Confree, N., 2 min., 38 2/5 sec.

Relay—Won by Newton (Kollmyer, Mullin, Cole, Fullerton); Alumni (Duane, Hardy, Fay, McQuiston).

"Y" WINS TWO

The Y. M. C. A. first and second teams each won their game from the first and second teams of the Somerville Y on the local court Wednesday night. The first team won from the visitors 34 to 30. Ray Wellman at left forward excelled for Newton scoring twelve baskets from the floor and two from free tries. Newton led 21 to 12 at halftime but the Somerville team let loose in the final session and nearly pulled up onto even terms. Bennett, who played best for Somerville with eight baskets from the floor and three from the foul line, made several baskets in rapid succession but to no avail. Phil Hardy played a great game at guard for Newton and helped considerably in saving off a threatening defeat.

The second team had a somewhat easier battle defeating the visiting aggregation 36 to 13. Connearney with twelve points and Purcell with ten led the attack for Newton.

The local teams journey to Quincy next Wednesday night to mix with the Granite City outfit in a Two-State league affair. A real stiff game is promised as the Quincy team auspiciously opened their season several weeks ago by taking over the Brockton outfit in a fast game.

"Y" WRESTLERS LOSE

At the Boston Y. M. C. U. last night the Newton Y wrestling team was defeated by the Boston team 9 to 0. In the feature match in the 175-lb. class Robert Andricks of the Boston team won the decision over Captain Gus Carlson of Newton after a hard struggle. The 160-pound class offered some good bouts. P. Germain of the Christian Union won a decision over Vachon and C. Lucas of the Union winning from H. Chapin by the same route. The only fall match was won by S. Salano of Boston over F. Patterson in a 15-minute struggle in the 135-pound class. Smith of the Union defeated Cassidy of Newton in this class by a decision.

SPORT NOTES

Close upon the heels of the announcement of the re-appointment of Leo Hughes to coach the Brookline high school hockey team comes word that Edgar Burkhardt, another former Newton high school star puck-chaser will again coach the Belmont high school six. Burkhardt will be under another former Newton high athlete, "Polly" Harris, who is now achieving noteworthy success with the Belmont athletic teams of which he is the director.

Monday evening at the Newton Y. M. C. A. court two Church League basketball games were played. The St. John's Methodist of Watertown five swamped their opponents, Central Congregational of Newtonille, by a score of 62 to 8. Thurlow and Sherman, forwards on the victorious quintet were the outstanding scorers. The former tallied eleven baskets from the floor and six on free tries for 28 points while Sherman netted eleven points. In the other affair the Newtonville Methodist team easily defeated the Eliot Congregational of Newton outfit 28 to 9. "Red" Becker, center for the Numec team tallied eleven points, while Ham at forward followed him closely with nine. The victory puts the Numec five in the lead in the league race with a margin of two full games over the Needham Congregationalists, the only other undefeated team in the league.

Dick Rogers of West Newton, a sophomore at Dartmouth and captain of last year's freshman hockey team is among the twelve greater Boston boys who make up the major part of the Green's varsity ice squad. He has a good chance of playing a lot of hockey for the Hanover outfit this season.

The new banks on the Newton high school track met with full approval of the alumni contestants in the annual alumni meet last night. Many expressions of admiration were heard on all sides. Not only do the new turns eliminate a great amount of danger of fouling and spilling but they also make for faster times.

In the matter of faster times it may be said that since the improvements will undoubtedly cause new records to be set the present holders of the track event marks are assured that they will never be broken. When the new banks at the south end of the hall are completed the track will be somewhat shorter than heretofore and th times recorded at the coming interclass meet will establish records for the new track. It will be exceedingly interesting to compare these marks with the old records. Undoubtedly there will be a difference of some seconds.

As there is no outstanding star on this year's high school track team with the possible exception of Captain Wally Fullerton, it is probable that the new records will not last for many years. Fullerton alone has an even chance of setting a mark that will remain at the top for more than a few years at the outside.

Although Fullerton is the only outstanding performer for the orange and black who is expected to create much of a furore on the boards this winter the team as a whole is well-balanced and should do well in the coming dual meets. Excellent competition was given them last night and such competition at the outset of the season will do a great deal toward helping each athlete to find himself as well as to give the coaches Dickinson and Enoch, a true idea of their capabilities.

At the Newton Centre Squash Tennis club on Wednesday night Edward Wales of the Newton Centre Club won his semifinal match of the Middlesex Bowl tournament from P. E. Cullinan of the Union Boat Club, 15-5, 15-6, 15-12.

Yesterday at the Newton Centre Squash Tennis Club in the Middlesex Bowl tournament Myles P. Baker and Ralph Powers of the B. A. A. and P. B. Watson, Jr., of the Harvard Club, entered the semi-final round. All were seeded players and rank one, two and four in the state rankings. Baker, state champion, will meet Watson, and Powers will meet Wales to determine the finalists.

Dartmouth defeated Williams in a hockey game at Lake Placid on Wednesday 2 to 1 and it is interesting to note that each goal was caged by a Newton youth. Williams took the lead early in the first period when Bill Blaney of Waban, centre ice for the Purple, netted a pretty shovel shot. Dick Rogers, captain of last year's Green freshman sextet scored twice in quick succession in the third period by unassisted rushes through the right wing. He was easily the outstanding performer for the Hanover six, while Blaney played best for the Berkshire hills college.

Once again Dick Rogers shone in defeating Williams. Dartmouth's hockey team shut out the Purple yesterday at Lake Placid 8 to 0. Rogers tallied three times.

Not alone did the Dartmouth-Williams hockey game reflect glory on Newton. Harvard and McGill universities staged an affair in the Arena on Wednesday evening that, although Harvard was defeated by a 4 to 3 scor Harvard was defeated by a 4 to 3 score, Newton boys had much to say about it. Ted Gross of West Newton, who started the game at left wing for the Crimson, sunk the first score in the first period. Crosby, one of the several brothers from West Newton, on the opposite wing from Gross, scored the third tally in the following period, shortly after Hamlen had made the count two to nothing. Captain Bill Ellison started at right defense but later gave way to substitutions. Coady was on the ice in this position part of the time.

Henry Johnson of Waban has been playing some great tennis at Baltimore this week in the national indoor championships. He reached the quarter finals without experiencing much difficulty in his first four rounds. In the quarter final matches on Wednesday he scored one of the most unexpected of upsets by defeating Donald Strachan of Philadelphia, protege of Bill Tilden in a three-set match. The first set went to Johnson, 6-2. He dropped the second to Strachan winning but one game. In the third set he slashed his way to victory 6-4.

Malcolm Hill, another Waban youth, also reached the quarter finals where he was put out of the running by Eddie Jacobs of Baltimore, who has been picked as the possible champion.

In the junior doubles tourney Hill and Johnson won their second round match on Wednesday, defeating Baker and Underwood of Brooklyn in straight sets, 6-1, 6-1.

Johnson was put out of the running for the junior tennis title yesterday afternoon by losing to Frank Shields of New York. The victor allowed the Waban youth but seven points in the first set. Johnson captured the second set after a hard fight, 7-5, but lost the third, 4-6.

Hill and Johnson will meet Smith and Jacobs in the final match of the doubles tourney this afternoon. The Waban pair defeated Coen and Strachan in a semi-final round match yesterday.

Three games will be played next week in the Church league basketball race at the Newton "Y." Monday night the Needham Congregationalists and the Watertown Methodists will play off a postponed game. On Friday night, which will be the regular league night for the rest of the season, the Needham Congregationalists will meet the Watertown Baptists in one game, and the Eliot and Central Congregational teams will meet in the other.

The annual New Year's Open House will be observed at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow evening. The program in the gymnasium will enable those who attend to see what the Association does for men and boys in a physical way. From 7.30 to 8.00 the younger boys will stage a demonstration of their work. At 8 o'clock the boys will leave the floor and take to the swimming pool. Fifteen minutes of volley-ball by the business men will follow. In conclusion a basketball team picked from the "Y" squad will play the Baraca Class of Waltham.

Robert C. Adams, former Newton high football captain and star end, has been chosen vice-president of the 1929 class at Bowdoin College.

Faith Stone, N. H. S. '26, has been elected captain of the freshman archery team at Mount Holyoke college.

Tom Gilligan will not play hockey or run for Exeter this winter. The former Newton football captain is to undergo an operation on his nose next week which will keep him out of athletics until the baseball season rolls around. The operation is the result of an injury he received a few years ago and which was aggravated again this past fall.

After the meet last night dancing was enjoyed in the new gymnasium. Dick Powers' orchestra furnished the music.

On the St. Lawrence University hockey team is Al King of Newton. Playing one of the defense positions he has proved to be the stumbling block of the forward lines of the various small colleges in that vicinity. While at Newton he never indulged in the ice game, but under Mr. Dickinson he played a prominent part in the football activities, filling the fullback's position and acting as the forward passer of the team for two seasons. He has been on the varsity at the university for the two previous seasons and is accounted one of the best athletes in the school.

Another Newton boy is playing for the Terriers in town. George "Junie" Crampton, who for two years covered the right wing at Hebron Academy, is patroling the same lane for Boston University. Junie spent some years at Newton then transferred to Huntington School in Boston where he played football and later hockey. At

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Edited by EMMA D. COOLIDGE

NEW YEARS' RESOLUTIONS

For Press Chairmen. That they will have ADVANCE NOTICES of Club meetings in the hands of the Column Editor on the first mail on Monday of the week in which they wish them to appear. That they will have reports of past meetings in her hands within twenty-four hours of the events. That they will "put their Club" on the map for every doing. That they will thereby make the Club Editor happy—and themselves sigh in relief for duty well done!

For the Club Editor. That she will be forgiving of delinquent press chairman. That she will rewrite many reports so that when their writers read them they will think they are splendid and just as they gave it to her—full of something besides triteness! That she will be happy in the New Year if the press chairmen will live up to their above resolutions.

For All Club Women. That they will never be hurt by unkind criticisms. That they will go on loving those who are jealous. That they will not retaliate with criticism, but will owe no fellow Club woman anything but a kind thought. That they will boost the Club and not themselves!

With which, your Editor wishes everyone a Happy New Year, one filled with dreams come true, with no illusions dispelled, with hopes fulfilled, with sadness turned to joy, with anxiety changed to peace, with sorrow comforted, and the healing of good intentions making bright the onward journey.

Benefit Shop

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN HOURS. Beginning January 8th the Benefit Shop will **Not be open on Saturday afternoons,** but will be open in the evenof Saturday from 7 to 9 o'clock. On Monday, Wednesday, and Friday afternoons the Shop will be open from one to four o'clock, as usual. The Monday evening opening has already been discontinued. The Editor wishes for the Benefit Shop a most prosperous New Year, and to that end once again repeats the plea for contributions to be sent to 895 Washington Street, Newtonville, that it may continue its good work, live long, and prosper!

GENERAL FEDERATION

Department of American Home

Secretary Herbert Hoover, in whose department is the Census Bureau of the United States, is receiving the surprise of his life in the floods of letters pouring in to Washington in endorsement of the efforts of the General Federation of Women's Clubs to list the American Home-maker in the next census as having a definite occupation and as contributing definitely to the nation's social and economic progress.

National organizations of both men and women are adopting resolutions and offering individual support to the movement. The Central Supply Association, an organization of manufacturers and wholesalers of plumbing and heating supplies, was the first to adopt a ringing resolution in favor of the campaign put on by the General Federation.

Mrs. John D. Sherman, president of the Federation, says:

"The standard of efficiency in the great industrial, commercial and professional workshops has been attained because the government through the census is constantly revealing their needs. Giving the Home-makers a status and recognizing home-making as an industry will place the needed emphasis upon the home as the basic unit of society and government.

"The Home will continue to be inadequately equipped until it has similar recognition in the machinery of the government that serves and protects the American people.

"There are nearly three million women in the various women's clubs of the country the majority of them home-makers, who, when given such recognition as is being asked from the government, would be stimulated to better equipped homes, higher standards of living and a more profound determination to lead in their profession."—General Federation Headquarters News Service.

There have been many true—and humorous—comments in the past as to the absurdity of classifying housewives under "no vocation," so that the following poem, written by an Idaho woman, will be found amusing. Even though she has chosen to cite the "lazy" days spent by a farmer's wife, in support of the masculine classification of said wife, what she brings forward equally applies to all wives and mothers not only of this generation, but since the Puritans spun the cloth from which they made the family wardrobes.

"The farmer's wife at early dawn
Gets up and calls the men;
She puts the children's lunches up
And goes and sets a hen.

"She milks a half a dozen cows
And helps to cut the spuds;
She does the washing, cooks the food,
And sews the family duds.

"She plants the garden, pulls the weeds
Attends to the ducks and geese;
She makes the butter, sells the eggs,
In winter frys out grease.

"The fruit's to pick in summertime,
And vegetables to dry;
And in the fall the meat's to cure,
And pumpkins, too, for pie.

"She goes to town on Saturday,
For a little recreation.
She is put down in the census books
As having no vocation."

State Federation

Do we always appreciate all the efforts made by our Club Officers who give so generously of time, thought, ability, and all the qualities of soul and mind? It was brought home a bit forcibly recently in reading that up to December first our State President, Mrs. Arthur D. Potter, had already travelled since her election last May, in the interests of her organization, 4,181 miles, railroad mileage. In making this intimate confession, Mrs. Potter adds that she feels that the growing demands for administrative work, for wiring, for broadcasting, and in all duties, of the presidential office, will soon make it well nigh impossible for the State executive to visit Clubs as frequently as in the past. While we recognize the truth of this dire prophecy, it is with regret that we think of a day coming when all Club women can not know intimately, and have cause to rejoice over the sterling qualities of the one they elect to lead their Federation.

Art

Mrs. Frank H. Stewart, chairman of the Art Department of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs, announces that the loan exhibitions for the Federation Headquarters on Boylston St., Boston, for January include the following: a painting, "The House on High Street," by Elizabeth Paxton, of Newton Centre, a member of the Boston Guild of Artists; under arts and crafts work, an exhibit of fine samples of old lace, loaned by Mrs. John Bainbridge, of Hingham, and book ends, modeled in plaster, loaned by Mrs. Solomon Fuller, sculptor, of Framingham.

CONFERENCE. Newton Clubwomen may like to know about an all day Conference of the Sixth District, including 57 federated Clubs, of the Mass. State Federation, which is called for January 4th at Chauncy Hall, Boston, (Mrs. Carl L. Watson, director of district, presiding), which they may wish particularly to attend. The morning session at 10 o'clock, has for speakers State and General Federation Officers, including Mrs. Arthur Devens Potter (State president), Mrs. Grace Morrison Poole, (Gen. Fed. Secretary), Mrs. Frederick Glazier Smith, (Gen. Fed. director), Mrs. Clarence Clark, Mrs. A. A. Packard, and Mrs. Carl Schrader, (State Vice-Presidents). Fifteen department chairmen will speak briefly. Mrs. Ralph Reed and Mrs. Harry A. Burnham will talk on the American Home.

Governor Alvan T. Fuller and Mayor Malcolm E. Nichols are expected. Senator Gasper G. Bacon will address the Conference on "Women in Legislature." Mr. Franklin Porter and Mrs. Frank Scanlon will debate "Jury Service for Women." Mrs. Robert H. Culbert will present "Law Observance."

Minnie Stratton Watson, Contralto, will sing, and Mr. Frank Watson, eminent pianist, will play at the close of the Conference, after which tea will be served by the Hostess Club, (Woman's Auxiliary to the Canadian Club, Mrs. Rupert D. Foster, president).

There will be round table discussions at noon with department chairmen and luncheon at Grace Horne's Studio.

RECENT EVENTS

Newtonville Woman's Club

The regular meeting of the Newtonville Woman's Club was held at the Central Church on Tuesday, December 21st, at 2.30 P. M. This meeting was the occasion of the annual Christmas Party for fifty deserving children, and it is safe to say that they enjoyed every minute, from the time the conveyances, arranged for by Mrs. Edward P. Hendrick, brought them to the church until they were safely returned home.

The Music Committee arranged for some of the girls from the Perkins Institute for the Blind to come and sing, and gave each girl a box of candy. Mrs. Frederick A. Tennant had charge of bringing these girls to and from the party. Mr. George E. Shattuck, of the Newton High School, entertained the children delightfully, telling by means of pictures the travels of the three fir trees and the two little wayfarers in their search for Santa Claus. Then came the refreshments of ice cream, cookies, candy and oranges served by the Volunteer Service Committee, and to every child this constitutes the real "party." However, the climax of the afternoon arrived when Miss Marion Bassett as Santa Claus officiated at the Christmas Tree which was beautifully decorated by the Flower Committee. Each little girl received a doll and each little boy a toy, while every child was given a package of used toys and clothing to be opened at home.

The success of the afternoon was due to the efforts of the Christmas Party Committee with Mrs. Arthur W. Chamberlain as chairman, and to the generosity and co-operation of members of the Club, local merchants, etc. In addition to the $151.85 given, used toys and clothes, the ice cream, oranges, barley candy, Christmas stockings, etc., were all donated. The delight of the children in receiving the gifts surely rewarded those who worked so hard for the success of the affair.

Auburndale Review Club

Mrs. Wycliffe J. Spaulding of Wolcott street, was hostess on Tuesday morning to the members of the Auburndale Review Club and their guests. During a recent trip to the Yosemite Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Spaulding had taken many pictures, particularly of the wonderful trees, noted for their size, and also of the several waterfalls. As Mrs. Spaulding threw these pictures on a screen she gave a very informal talk concerning their trip. An additional pleasure for the morning were the two piano selections by Mrs. Franklin Leland.

COMING EVENTS

Christian Era Study Club

Miss Susie C. Johnson not only entertains the members of the Christian Era Study Club by opening her home, 84 Grove street, for their meeting on the 3rd of January, but she reads for their entertainment and information a paper on "The Continental Congress." A second paper, carrying forward the subject for the year—"The War of American Independence"—will be given by Mrs. Ernest F. Drew, under the title: "The Declaration of Independence." Surely in this year of centennials, and sesqui-centennials, and all manner of patriotic observances, the Club could not have found a more timely subject for their attention.

Waban Woman's Club

Literature holds the attention of the members of the Waban Woman's Club on the same date—January 3rd—when the Literature Committee, under the chairmanship of Miss Dorothy Rice, presents Dr. Samuel McCord Crothers in a lecture on "The Unfailing Charm of Some Novels." Dr. Crothers is pastor of the First Parish Church of Cambridge, is himself a writer, and in both capacities will be sure to appreciate all that represents the finer ideals in literature—in fact, TRUE literature, which it is now generally conceded means books that leave one better for the reading, not disgusted, or cynical, whatever the so-called knowledge of technique displayed by the disappointing author. Tea will be served in the usual—and always delightful—social hour which follows the program.

The third of the fascinating journeys to the Art Museum for members of the Waban Woman's Club is scheduled for Monday, January 10th. The Class will meet at 2 o'clock at the Museum for the lecture, after which tea will be served in the Lunch Room, at 35 cents. Members planning to attend are asked to notify Mrs. Chester Churchill, Tel. C. N. 0264-W. The subject for the day's study will be "Jade and Lacquer", which should prove most interesting, as well as beautiful to behold, in the many fine specimens housed, by this fortunate Treasure Chest.

Newton Upper Falls Woman's Club

In the evening, at the Club Room in Emerson School Building, the Newton Upper Falls Woman's Club also chooses Literature for their subject of study and entertainment, for the 3rd of January. Mrs. Thomas J. Walker, for the past three years a Director of the State Federation, will speak on "The Season's Novels." Mrs. James H. McLaughlin, chairman of Community Service Committee, is in charge of this program.

A Special Event of the Club is scheduled for January 10th, in a Whist Party to be held in the Club Room at 8 P. M., under the management of Mrs. Robert F. Sawyer, chairman.

Auburndale Review Club

The Auburndale Review Club will hold its mid-winter business meeting on Tuesday, January 4th, at 10.30 A. M. at the home of Mrs. Samuel Dike, 113 Hancock St. Members are requested to come with suggestions for topics for study this coming year.

Newton Highlands Woman's Club

After a several weeks' respite from active Club work, the members will gain assemble on Tuesday for the first meeting of the New Year. The meeting will be one of the five, to which daughters of members will be admitted upon the payment of a small fee, the only restrictions being that a Club member accompanies them and that they are pupils in either High School or the upper grades of Hyde.

Bhaska Pandurang Hivale, a native of Bombay, India, is to address the company on "India: Its Peoples and Customs," and is said to be a fluent speaker, having lectured extensively both in this country and Canada since coming to these shores to do post-graduate work. He is a graduate of the University of Bombay and later, of Andover Theological Seminary, and is now studying for a degree at Harvard.

The same afternoon, the third food sale of the winter, will be held in the small room adjoining the lecture hall, and as before, will be in charge of the Philanthropic Committee, under the direction of Mrs. George G. Sherman, Chairman. Announcement of this opportunity will be most welcome, as wise housewives among Club members have long since learned to appreciate!

Newtonville Woman's Club

Hail, lovers of Dickens! Come and renew old memories under the guidance of Professor Frank Cheney Hersey of Harvard University at 2.30 P.M. on Tuesday, January 4th, 1927 at the Newtonville Woman's Club. Hail, acquaintances of Dickens! Come and learn to be Dicken's friend. Mr. Hersey's presentation and pictures will delight you. Start the new year right by giving Mr. Hersey and Dickens a rousing welcome.

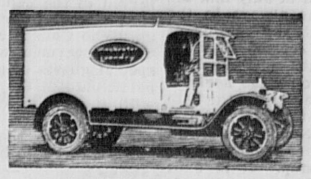
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EDITORIALS

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We recall that as a child the days and the seasons seemed to pass ever so slowly. It was a long ways between Christmas and Fourth of July and the summer vacation was always in the dim future. But with the passing of the years, time has seemed to move faster and faster, until now the New Year is always just over the horizon. We hardly get used to writing the date as 1926, when it is time to make it 1927, and the Happy New Years crowd each other as old Father Time marches on with relentless step. It is once more time for us to wish all our readers the most Happy New Year of their lives, and to which we add the wish that no matter how fast the days go by, each New Year will be happier than all that have gone before.

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We congratulate Mr. Bacon and his associates at the High School on the great success of the reunion of the High School Alumni. It is a formidable undertaking to notify 6500 persons even when the addresses are known, and when in a case like this, names are changed by marriage, and addressed have to be literally "dug out," it is quite an undertaking. It was a most enjoyable occasion for many old grads to meet their former classmates as well as to renew acquaintance with beloved teachers.

ALDERMEN HOLD SPECIAL MEETING

A special meeting of the aldermen was called Wednesday night primarily for the purpose of renewing the permit of the Boston & Worcester Street Railway to run buses through this city; its present permit expiring January 1st. The aldermen voted to renew the permit, and incidently not the Boston & Worcester, but the Middlesex & Boston received more attention at the meeting. Alderman Heathcote criticised the M. & B., asserting that it was catering to residents of Waltham and discriminating against its patrons who reside in those parts of this city served by other than the lines running to Waltham. He referred to the greatly increased service accorded to Walthamites since the bus service has been established, and contrasted this with much inferior service which he claims is given to persons who must use the Lower Falls line. He also inquired why the tracks have not been removed on those streets where electric car service has been supplanted by bus service?

President Pratt remarked that the removal of the tracks is an executive matter. Alderman Favinger, commenting on the attack on the M. & B. by the member from Ward 4, stated that no specific failure to provide proper service had been mentioned. The Ward 4 alderman replied by asserting that during the recent snowstorm, Lower Falls was without car service for at least a couple of hours. President Pratt suggested that the nineteen members of the present Board who will return next year (not including himself) constitute a special committee to improve transportation facilities in the city.

"God wills, and man fulfills." The week before Christmas, the Street Department was forced to drop 95 men because the appropriation for construction work had become exhausted. The 95 who did not have a "Merry Christmas," will have a trifle more cheer at "New Year." The last snow storm necessitated their temporary employment for a few days, and also compelled the Aldermen to appropriate Wednesday night $12,000 more for the removal of snow and ice. Other appropriations were $150 to settle the claim for damage to an automobile owned by Mr. Dwyer. Said damages were caused by an air compressor owned by the city colliding with the auto. For miscellaneous accounts of the Water Department $4000 was appropriated.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

NEWTON CENTRAL COUNCIL

The Newton Central Council is planning a meeting of unusual interest and importance on the evening of Tuesday, January 25, to which all are cordially invited. An informal dinner will be served in the cafeteria of the Newton High School, followed by a conference on, "The Church and Social Service." The Clergymen of the city will be special guests of the Council and will participate in the conference together with the Social Workers of the city. Problems of vital interest will be discussed. Save the date, January 25, and plan now to be present.

The best success in the world for any good work is not to have to do it. This is not wholly true of the Christmas Clearing House run by the Newton Central Council during the pre-holiday season just past. But it is true that the idea of checking up on Christmas dinner giving has spread so that a number of societies are checking up with each other before sending in their lists of names for Christmas baskets, to the Council office. This means that there are not nearly so many duplications left to be checked by the Council. Yet there were fifty this year,— and, sad to say, some of them were checked only as the clock struck twelve on the "day before;" and therefore the dinners were on their way and some families did, perhaps, get two. So it is even more important to "do your Christmas clearing early" than to do your Christmas shopping early. It wouldn't so much matter that some family with a great many hungry children got two dinners; but when the Council office counted up the number of needy families for which there was no provision there were twenty-seven,—and thirty dollars was all the money in sight for the dinners of the twenty-seven families, each one of which may have had from 1 to 10 children. If clearing had been done early then these twenty-seven families could have had some of the extra dinners sent by mistake to families for whom provision was already made.

There are 366 names of families on the card index in the Council office, which is the outward and visible form of the Christmas Clearing House for 1926. When some one comes in at the last moment and wants 50 names checked up, and some one is waiting on the telephone to hear about a family, and at the door appears another person with money in hand, to get the names of some families not already provided for, then there is a great deal of excitement among the cards in the indev. They fall over one another in their hurry. Some stand upright and others come out of the box altogether. In the end there are cards in all sorts of positions, marked in all sorts of ways; and it takes a long time to get order into the camp again and to have the cards all in line for the next check-up, and ready to tell their story at an instant's notice.

The Council does not give out names except when requested by some relief organization, nor does it dispense money itself for relief; but through the Clearing House, the Council is in a position to know which families have had dinners planned for them and which have not, and therefore it has fallen more and more to the Council to bring together those who want to give and those who need gifts. One hundred and two names were submitted (almost all by the City Charity Dept.,) of families needing dinners, and of these one-hundred-and- two all were provided for on the day before Christmas, except the twenty-seven referred to above.

Would you not like to have gone to market with Miss Fitzgerald, the Overseer of the Poor, on the afternoon before Christmas, and have seen how far she made the small sum of money go which was handed over to her to buy Christmas baskets for her needy families?

CHRISTMAS SERVICE

Some Newton children know what it means to be cold, and a Christmas gift of a pair of new shoes, or a sweater, or warm underclothing is a real happiness for a long time. Some of the money sent to the Newton Welfare Bureau for Christmas work was used to make Newton children comfortable at Christmas by supplying warm, substantial clothing.

Contributions of money were made by the Neighborhood Club of Auburndale, Mrs. M. Estelle Seaver, Mr. and Mrs. Allston Burr, the Primary Department and Central Guild of the Central Congregational Church of Newtonville, and the churches of Newtonville in their Union Thanksgiving Service.

Contributions of clothing were made by Mrs. Albert Parker, the Waban Woman's Club, Mrs. F. E. Allen, Mrs. Percy Woodward, Blue Triangle Club of the Y. W. C A., Women's Benevolent Society of the First Church in Newton Centre; the Woman's Association of Union Church, Waban; Central Guild of Central Church, Newtonville; and the So and Sew Club of Newton Highlands

Children desire something to play with, and dolls, Teddy bears, trains, puzzles, games, rattles, whistles, Christmas tree ornaments, and other playthings were sent to the Newton children known to the Welfare Bureau by the Rotary Club, pupils of the Underwood School, Master Richard King, Mrs. Llewelyn A. Marr, Mrs. F. E. Allen, Girl Scouts of Newtonville, Blue Triangle Club of the Y. W. C. A., Women's Sunday School Class of the Newtonville Methodist Church, Primary and Junior Departments of the Central Congregational Church of Newtonville, Mrs. Irving J. Fisher, and Miss Gene Kenway.

As it would have been impossible for the Ford of the Newton Welfare Bureau to collect and distribute all that came to the office, the Rotary Club considerately took over the task, and Mr. Osgood—Manager of the Garden City Laundry and a Rotarian—gave the use of a truck and two men for two half-days.

Is there a child who does not love to go to a party, to dress up, step into a waiting automobile, and be whirled away to anticipated pleasure? How eager the child is to arrive at the party; how reluctant to leave; but how delighted to tell the home people all about it! Eighteen Newton children were given a Christmas party by the West Newton Women's Educational Club. Invitations were extended to some Newton children to attend a Christmas Party in the Parish House of the Universalist Church.

Thanks to the generosity of individuals, groups, and organizations, ninety-five Newton families sat down to a substantial Christmas dinner. The contributors were Mrs. Richard M. Ott and neighbors; Church of the Good Shepherd, Waban; Mrs. Frank Burton, Mrs. Percy Woodward; Mrs. H. W. Calder; Sunday School of Union Church, Waban; Sunday School Class of Mrs. Powers of the Unitarian Church of Newton Centre; Newton High School; St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Newton Highlands; Blue Triangle Club of the Y. W. C. A.; Mrs. Murray's Sunday School Class of Channing Church, Newton; Sunday School Class of Mrs. R. J. Hamilton of Union Church, Waban; Mrs. Wellington Rindge; Mrs. Ernest J. Weaver; Intermediate Department of the Sunday School Class of the Auburndale Congregational Church; Mrs. Clara L. Richardson; Mrs. Davidson of Second Church, West Newton; The Kappa Omiega Phi Club, Auburndale; So and Sew Club of Newton Highlands; Sunday School Class of Miss Decker of St. John's Episcopal Church, Newtonville; and Girls' Friendly Society.

OPEN MEETING

There will be a special meeting and the Annual Meeting of the Newton Welfare Bureau, Inc., on Wednseday, January 12, 1927, at 4.15 P. M., in the rooms of the Bureau, 12 Austin Street, Newtonville, for the purpose of the election of officers and directors for the coming year, to hear reports of the officers, and the transaction of any other business which may properly come before the meeting at this time. Brief reports of the work done during 1926 will be presented.

(Mrs.) Lucia E. Auryansen, Clerk,
Newton Welfare Bureau, Inc.

NEWTON CIRCLE, INC.

The Board of Directors of the Newton Circle, Inc., held their monthly meeting at 12 Austin stret, Newtonville, Thursday morning, at 10.30 o'clock with the president, Mrs. John T. Lodge in the chair. A letter from Mrs. Thomas Weston, Jr., of West Newton, was read, reporting the gift of $100, the proceeds from the annual musical and checks to the amount of $100 for the fund of the Newton Circle table at the Florence Crittenton Bazaar. The intensive drive for new members is just beginning and the following sixteen names have already been added to the roll:

Miss Helen E. Dennison, Miss Katherine E. Ferris, Mrs. Henry C. Freeman, Mrs. Arthur P. Friend, Mrs. Frank Jay, Mrs. John Lovett Morse, Mrs. C. Safford, Mrs. Rutherford E. Smith, Mrs. Fred Roy Smith, Mrs. William Q. Wales, Mrs. Sherman B. Ward, Mrs. George G. Webster, Mrs. John Davis, Mrs. M. W. Griswold, Mrs. A. B. Root, Jr., Mrs. F. S. Sawyer, with the prospect of many more.

Mrs. Henry E. Pearsall, president of the Junior Newton Circle, reported keen interest and much activity among the members and as a result of a very delightful whist party at the home of Mrs. Frank Ashley Day, $113 had been added to the Bazaar fund.

The president, Mrs. Lodge, highly commended the capable, efficient work of the Newton Central Council in that it prevented unnecessary duplication and it was voted to give them the same amount of money as last year.

Much interest was displayed in the whist party to be held at the home of Mrs. Edwin P. Brown, on Washington street, some time shortly after Easter.

NONANTUM CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Playground Department and the Stearns School Centre held their Christmas party at the Stearns School on Wednesday evening, December 21. A series of tableaux on Christmas in Foreign Lands, was given by the children. The first was, "Christmas Eve in Norway." Yuletide in the land of Odin, of the Vikings and the Midnight Sun, is largely of a social nature. The tableau showed a peasant couple and their child feasting on Christmas eve. The table shown was covered with a rare old peasant cloth. Lovely wooden candle sticks and a gleaming old copper coffee pot. The background showed a window with a sheaf of wheat outside, it being the custom in the Northland to remember the birds at Christmas time.

A doorway where two little Dutch children were putting out their wooden shoes for St. Nicholas to fill, depicted Christmas in Holland.

The scene chosen to represent the Italian Christmas was very touching. It showed four little girls, clad in their native costume, worshipping at the altar of the Christ Child, the Italian Christmas being of a religious nature.

Christmas in America was a happy home scene, showing the children with their mother at the fireside hanging up their stockings for Santa to fill.

A group of girls attired in bright red capes, singing Christmas carols, represented Christmas in England.

The Junior Girls' Club, coached by Mrs. Hovgaard, gave a little play, "On Christmas Eve," by Constance D'Arcy McKey. The girls carried their parts out very well. Florence Dezotell, as Robinson Crusoe, seemed to please the audience the most. Yvonne LaCroix was responsible for creating the magic Christmas party for the "little girl," who was Ida Baima. In addition the following girls took part: Margaret Harney, Louise Visco, Geraldine Gallagher, Mary Clair LaCroix, Agnes Laboie, and Elizabeth Thomas.

Tableaux of the Nativity were given by the older boys and girls. "The Annunciation," "The Shepherd in the Field," The Wise Men" and The Flight to Egypt." The colored lights lent to ordinary costumes something of the richness of old paintings.

Christmas wouldn't be Christmas without music. Mary Gannon, and Adam Haug, of the All-Newton Music School, made the violin and the clarionet tell the Christmas story, and also gave some solo selections, which were very much appreciated.

CHRISTMAS SEALS

The fifth week of the Christmas Seal Campaign has ended with the following results in the different villages of the city:

Newton Centre	$1,431.00
West Newton	1,201.25
Newton	1,087.00
Newtonville	1,063.50
Waban	705.35
Newton Highlands	636.06
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A GREAT SUCCESS

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move from room to room than did the pupils of the past. He hoped that the tunnel which was supposed to connect the Classical High with the buildings south of Elm Road will soon be built.

Rev. Raymond Calkins '86, of Cambridge, an old Newton boy, contrasted the original high school building with its comparatively few pupils and teachers, and its simple equipment to the magnificent structures which house the Newton High School today, and to the greatly increased student body and faculty. He paid a tribute to the teachers of his days in the old school and lauded the ability and personality of Mr. Edward H. Cutler, principal at Newton High a generation ago. Herbert McGill '17 related how he had been invited last year to address some of the pupils in the High School, but when he arrived, had been mistaken for a pupil by one of the teachers.

Principal Irving O. Palmer recalled his first assignment as a teacher in the Newton High School in 1897, when it was temporarily housed in the Peirce School at West Newton. Of the 21 teachers then included in the faculty of the school, but three now are teaching—Miss Hazen, Miss Poore and himself. He stated that the efficiency of a school, its service to the public, may be gauged from three angles. First— its attracting power. In some years Newton High has had more pupils enrolled in its freshman class (the 9th grade) than were enrolled in the 8th Grade of the grammar schools of the city the preceding year. This could be partly explained by the fact that some of the pupils had attended private schools, and others were children of new families moving into the city, but it could be seen that nearly all, if not all, of the children in the primary schools of Newton desired to attend Newton High.

The second angle to determine a school's efficiency, according to Mr. Palmer is its "holding power." The proportion of pupils who remain and who graduate. The third proof of a school's effectiveness is its "graduate functioning," evidenced by the proportion of its alumni who enter lines of work which the courses of study they took prepared them for. He related that a graduate student in the Department of Education at Harvard University, had in 1921 devoted much time in making a study of high schools of different kinds scattered all over the United States. This investigation covered a period of a number of years to obtain fair average conditions. The results of this investigation showed that of the many schools studied, Newton High led in efficiency as judged by its ability to hold the pupils who entered it, and also as regarded its graduates functioning along those lines for which they had prepared. In conclusion Mr. Palmer expressed his thanks to the alumni for the exceedingly pleasant thirty years he has spent with them in his work at Newton High.

Director Francis L. Bacon, when called upon, stated that because of the lateness of the hour, he would not make the speech he had prepared and which contained considerable information about the school and its work. He expressed his appreciation of the interest manifested by the hundreds who had come to the reunion, and asked those present to assist in enlisting other members of their classes in the organization which is proposed to be formed. He requested each class group to appoint a member to serve on a committee which will effect a temporary organization. He quoted figures to show the excellent record made by students of Newton High in passing the increasingly difficult college examinations, and of the fine standing of the graduates of the school at the higher institutions of learning to which they had gone. The GRAPHIC will print next week some of the interesting figures which Mr. Bacon's speech would have revealed.

Following the speaking, most of those in the audience went to the new gymnasium where dancing was enjoyed. Favors were distributed to those who "tripped the light fantastic."

The committee in charge of the reunion included Director Francis Bacon, Principal Irving O. Palmer, Michael W. Murray, and Miss Eleanor Cox, temporary secretary of the Alumni. others on the committee were: Warren Oliver, tickets; Charles B. Harrington, music; Mrs. Grace Kuntz and Miss Cotton, dancing; Miss Jeanie Kenrick and Miss Maida Flanders, reception; Miss Gladys Davis and Edward Blue, decorations; Maynard Maxim, mailing; Wallace Richmond, ushers.

POLICE NEWS

Rosamund Tucker, 20, of 163 Dean road, Brookline, was fined $10 in the Newton Court Tuesday morning by Judge Weston. Last September as Motorcycle Officer Larry O'Donnell was patrolling Commonwealth avenue, he stopped a speeding car driven by the Tucker girl at the corner of the avenue and Walnut street. According to his testimony, he asked the young lady to produce her license. She did not produce the license. Instead she stepped on the gas, and sped down the avenue leaving the policeman flabbergasted. He went to the courthouse and had a complaint isued against her. The summons was sent to her home, but she did not appear in court. Instead came the information that she had departed to Vassar College. Officer O'Donnell naturally felt somewhat peeved at the manner in which Miss Tucker had taken her departure on the day he had apprehended her, so with the coming of the Christmas holidays he started to carefully scan the society columns of the Boston papers, having a hunch that therein he might see some mention of Miss Tucker's homecoming from Vassar. He had the right hunch, and as soon as he saw an item telling of her return he took steps to have the case tried. The charge of not having a license in her possession, Judge Weston placed on file, as Miss Tucker showed that she had her license renewed two days before she was stopped by the officer for speeding.

COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL

In the honor list of students for the fall term are the following boys from Newton: Honors—Albert Pratt, West Newton; Oliver Garceau, Newton; John Rackliffe, Newton; William Nelson, Jr., Newton Centre; John Madden, Newton; Hamilton Young, Newton.

Honorable Mention: John Cowin, West Newton; Henry Marcy, 3rd, Newton; Valerio Montanari, Newton; Andrew Webster, Newton Centre; Melville Smith, Jr., Newton Centre; Roger Greene, Newton Centre; Lawrence Dana, Newton Centre; John Garrison, West Newton; Luther Breck, Newton; Francis Kent, Newton; Guilbert Wales, West Newton; James Donovan, Newton.

BENEFIT SHOP

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN HOURS. Attention is called to changes in the hours of opening of the Benefit Shop at 895 Washington Street, Newtonville. Monday evening opening has been discontinued. Beginning January 8th the Shop will not be open on Saturday afternoon, but will be open that evening from 7 to 9 o'clock. On Monday, Wednesday, and Friday afternoons the Shop will be open from 1 to 4 o'clock.

DEATHS

HURTER—On Dec. 24, at 1544 Centre street, Newton Highlands, Mrs. Jenny F. Hurter, age 74 yrs.
PURCELL—On Dec. 24, at 49 Floral street, Newton Highlands, Rev. John F. Purcell, age 57 yrs.
SAWYER—On Dec. 24, at 25 Fairfield street, Newtonville, William P. Sawyer, age 67 yrs.
DOUGLAS—On Dec. 26, at 120 Church street, Newton, Edward L. Douglas, age 56 yrs.
KENEFICK—On Dec. 28, at 156 River street, West Newton, Patrick F. Kenefick, age 56 yrs.
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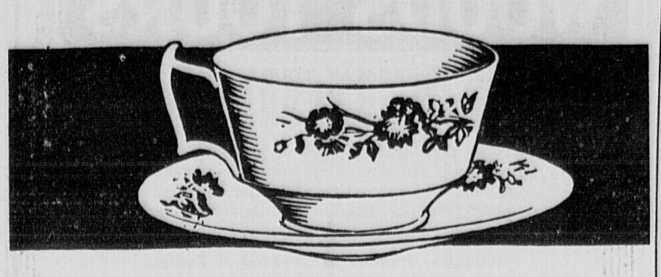
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Newton Upper Falls

—Mr. John Cronin of Boston conducted the Story hour at the branch library Thursday evening.

—Rev. Mr. Farrar of St. Paul's Church will conduct the services at the Stone Institute next Sunday.

—Miss Margaret Lawson of Needham and Mr. Lawson Gassett of Upper Falls were united in marriage last Wednesday afternoon.

—Miss Josephine Cronin of Oak street and Mrs. George Simons, left Thursday on a combined pleasure and business trip to New York.

—Friends of Patrick Kenefick will be shocked to hear of his sudden death, last Tuesday evening at his son's home. Mr. Kenefick for many years was a resident of Upper Falls, residing at the Pettee Hotel and was an employee of the Saco-Pettee shops. Funeral will be Friday and interment at Needham Cemetery.

SCIENCE AND RELIGION

A discussion of the question, "Can modern science and the Christian religion be reconciled?" will enliven the service next Sunday evening at the Centenary Methodist Church in Auburndale at 7.30 P. M. Dr. Henry Hallam Saunderson, famous as the editor of the Wayside Pulpit, has agreed to let Rev. Earl Harper shoot questions at him, voicing the doubts and difficulties which many men feel.

A recent article by Dr. Saunderson in a popular religious weekly led to the challenge to discuss the problem. His writings are constructive and vigorous. His most recent books are published by the Century Company, New York, and are entitled "The Power of an Endless Life" and "The Living Word: The Bible Abridged." When an enquirer asked Dr. Cadman to recommend a shorter Bible in the familiar stately language, Dr. Cadman replied, "The best one I know is by Dr. Henry Hallam Saunderson. It is adapted for devotional and pulpit reading and every page is replete with religious interest and benefit." Next Sunday evening Dr. Saunderson will read the scripture lesson from his own edition of the Bible.

He is known nationally as the editor of the Wayside Pulpit, a system of church bulletin boards used by many denominations. Dr. Cadman declares that the churches owe Dr. Saunderson a great debt of gratitude for the Wayside Pulpit.

Newton Upper Falls

—Mr. John MacDonald and the Misses Sara, Marie and Gertrude MacDonald of Hale street are now residing on Floral street, Newton Highlands.

—The engagement of Miss Eleanor Mary Hilton of Needham and Mr. Richard Swift of Ellis street, Upper Falls, has been announced to their wide circle of friends.

—The ladies of the Stone Institute enjoyed the Christmas holidays with the usual trees, games and gifts. A beautifully decorated table tree was presented by members of the Carroll School for Girls in West Newton.

—Miss Ethel Proctor, well-known young lady of Upper Falls, and Mr. Herbert W. Woodland, of New York, were married Thursday afternoon at the Methodist Parsonage, Needham Heights by the Rev. J. Mason. Mr. John Proctor, brother of the bride, was best man, and Miss Grace Moses was bridesmaid. After the honeymoon, they will make a short trip to New York, and on their return will reside on Harvard street, Newtonville.

—Bishop William F. Anderson will preach at the Methodist Church, Sunday morning, January 2nd. His subject is to be "The Forward Look." Bishop Anderson is the resident Bishop of the Boston area of the Methodist Church, and is an unusually fine speaker. In the evening, Dr. Edward E. Elliott, who is the Superintendent of the Boston District, will preach. Also the Holy Communion will be administered by him in the evening.

—Miss Anna G. Peterson of Upper Falls, and Mr. Walter D. Cassidy of Back Bay were united in marriage at the Catholic Church on Thursday evening by the Rev. Fr. Donovan. Miss Mary Burns was bridesmaid, and Mr. Richard Baldwin of Back Bay was the best man. The bride's dress was of white georgette with beaded silk embroidery, with mid-Victorian effect. The veil was of real Duchess lace with train. Instead of the customary shower bouquet she carried a white satin prayer-book, with sweet peas and lilies of the valley attached. The bridesmaid was attired in peach georgette, with peach ostrich feathers and a black velvet hat. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home on Spring street to the immediate relatives and friends. After a honeymoon trip to New York, the couple will reside in Roxbury.

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Central Church

NEWTONVILLE

9.45 A. M. Regular departments of the Church School.

11 A. M. **Dr. Ellis** will preach.

Newtonville

—The Holiday party of the New Church, took place last evening.

—Mrs. John Brant of Oakwood road, is spending the holidays in New York.

—Mr. Guy F. Hunter is a member of the Tozier party now in Quebec for winter sports.

—Mr. Albert M. Lyon has been elected treasurer of the Boston National Base Ball Club.

—The 21st anniversary of the Central club of Central church, will be observed next Monday evening.

—Miss Reymeh Wight of the Colonna is at home from Columbia College during the Christmas vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Corliss of Park place are receiving congratulations on the recent birth of a son.

—Call H. A. McDonnell, 6 Highland terrace, Newtonville, (Newton North 4674) for anything in the carpenter line. —Advertisement.

—Ralph Richardson of Highland avenue and Robert McDonald of Austin street are at home for the Christmas vacation.

—The Barnacles will meet next Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton B. Willey on Linwood avenue.

—Miss Anna Horton of Smith College, is spending the vacation period with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Horton of Otis street.

—Mrs. Charles Cunningham Livermore and son, George G. Livermore of Mill street, entertained guests Christmas day at Brae Burn Country Club.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Atkinson of Crafts street, are spending the Christmas holidays at the Chateau Frontenac, Quebec.

—William P. Sawyer, whose home was at 7 Tower street, Somerville, died suddenly last Friday at 25 Fairfield street, from a cerebral hemmorhage.

—George G. Livermore of Mill St., will spend the first week of the new year in New York. Mr. Livermore is the author of that entertaining book for boys, "Take it from Dad."

—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Pollock of 18 Bucknam street, Everett, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Florence Lois Pollock, to H. Stanley Kimball of this village. Miss Pollock is a student at the Sargent School, Boston.

—Rev. Dr. Pleasant Hunter, a former pastor of Central Church, died Sunday morning at Detroit, Michigan, while on his way to spend the winter in California. Dr. Hunter was pastor emeritus of the Second Presbyterian Church of Newark, N. J., and was 71 years of age. He was pastor of Central Church from 1886 to 1889.

—The annual meeting of the Central Church Woman's Association, will be held at the church on Wednesday, January 5th. Luncheon will be served at 12.30, followed by an address by D. Brewer Eddy, with the subject, "Facing Our Budget." After the address the reports, election of officers and new pledges will constitute the program.

—Carrying the Christmas spirit into the new year, the senior choir and the quartette of Central Church, will next Sunday, January 2, repeat the Christmas music. This will include carols, "Good King Wencelas," "Away in a Manger," and Chadwicks' "A Child is Born." The choir will give the Anthem, "Sing 0 Heavens," and Franklin Field, baritone, soloist, will render the offertory, "Adams' "O Holy Night."

—About forty young people met at an informal party given to Miss Pauline A. Chamberlain on Wednesday evening at her home on Harvard St., at which her engagement was announced to Rev. Wendell J. Clark of Bridgeport, Conn. The decorations were in pink and blue and announcement was made through baby blue ribbon favors on which a pink heart shaped card was the pendant. The party was in charge of Miss Blanchie O. Berry, assisted by Miss Emily Chamberlain. Miss Chamberlain is very active in affairs at the Methodist Episcopal Church, Newtonville. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Chamberlain of 63 Harvard St. Mr. Clark is the pastor of Trinity Church, Bridgeport, Conn.

WILSON—HASKELL

The wedding of Miss Lois Haskell, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Alaric Haskell and Charles O. Wilson of West Newton, Mass., took place yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will make their home in West Newton. The bride is a popular member of the younger set at Brunswick and is a graduate of Smith College in 1924. Mr. Wilson was graduated from the University of Michigan and is now connected with the March Irrigation Company.

W. C. T. U.

On Monday, January 3rd, the Evangelistic Meeting of the West Newton W. C. T. U., will be at the home of Mrs. Adelia A. Earnest, 1001 Watertown street. Mrs. Linda Jones will be the leader and the subject to be discussed, "Looking Forward." The hostesses will be Mrs. Arletta Neal, Mrs. Dora Kelley and Mrs. Adelia Earnest.

NOTICE

The business of the Newton Rose Conservatories, established by the late Robert C. Bridgham, will be continued. Mr. A. P. Calder will be in charge as formerly.

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Newton Centre

—Miss Jennie Reilly has just returned for the holidays from New Jersey.

—Miss Geraldine Brock of Chicago is visiting her mother at 40 Chase street.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Downs of Irving sreet are spending the month in Florida.

—Mrs. John Tomb of Lake avenue gave an Auction Bridge Party on Wednesday afternoon.

—Miss Helen Noyce is home from Natick to spend Christmas with her mother on Locksley road.

—Mr. R. F. Miller and family of Pelham street, left to spend Christmas with his parents in Detroit.

—The Mens club of the First Church, will hold a boy's and girl's night, next Wednesday evening.

—Kathaleen Huntress of Sumner street left Wednesday to participate in the winter sports at Quebec.

—Misses Nancy and Ruth Underhill of Grant avenue left Wednesday to attend the winter sports at Quebec.

—The Hale Union will meet at 6.30 on Sunday night. The Matheson Club will meet at 4.30 in the afternoon.

—On Wednesday Miss Harriet Paul of Oxford road left with Dr. Tosier's party for the winter sports at Quebec.

—Mrs. Ada Noyce of Locksley park entertained several Philipino friends at her home Christmas Sunday evening.

—Miss Narcissa Peace Varney has returned from Smith College, to her home, 34 Tyler terrace, for the holidays.

—Mrs. Chas. Edwards and her daughter were the guests of Mrs. John McKey of the Ledges Road for the holidays.

—On Tuesday evening, Mr. C. N. Burghardt celebrated his birthday by an informal dinner at his home on Homer street.

—Mrs. R. G. Graves and daughter, "Jerry" of Laurel street, spent the holidays in Springfield, with Mrs. Grave's mother.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fall of Middletown, Conn., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. E. S. Brightman of Braeland avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clement F. Kingman of White Plains, N. Y., were the guests of their daughter over the holidays at her home on Royce Road.

—The Annual Meeting of the Unitarian Church will be held on the evening of January 21. It will be preceded by supper served at 6.30 P. M.

—Among the members of the Tozier party enjoying winter sports this week at Quebec, are Miss Harriet O. Paul, Robert W. Ayer and Henry F. Marcy.

—On Christmas Eve Mr. and Mrs. Everett Green of Centre street entertained between 40 and 50 members of the Newton Theological School at dinner.

—There will be a watch night service tonight at Trinity Church with the young people giving a dramatization of "Watchman, What of the Night."

—Mrs. S. Rowley of Bloomfield, New Jersey, and Mrs. F. Hollis of Pelham Manor, New York, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Bradford of Lake avenue.

—Miss Margaret Underhill who is connected with the dramatic department of the Bennet School at Melbrick, New York, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. P Underhill of Manodnock road.

—Mrs. W. M. Marston and daughter, Barbara, of Dudey road went over to New York on Tuesday, so that Miss Barbara could attend the reunion at the Pennsylvania Hotel of her summer camp friends, who came from New York.

—The next Vesper Service in the series of three at the Unitarian Club will be held on February 6 at 4.00 P. M. The service will be built around the idea of music and worship and the address will be given by Dr. Archibald Davidson of Harvard University. The public is cordially invited to hear this well-known leader in the development of music.

—The Stebbins Alliance will meet on Tuesday, January 4 at 2.30. This is the Annual Guest Day and the Alliance will be visited by friends from other Alliance Chapters. The address of the afternoon will be made by Mr. Parker on the subject, "Gleanings From Three American Poets, Robert Frost, Edward Robinson, Edgar Lee Masters." Readings will be gvien from each of these to accompany the address.

—There will be a service of Christmas Music in Trinity Church, Newton Centre, Sunday evening, at 7.15 by the Parish Choir. It will consist of Christmas anthems, carols, and hymns, representing the contributions of many nationalities and peoples in their endeavor to do honor to the Christ child, and to express in music the Christmas story. It will be a service of great interest and beauty; and will fittingly close the celebration of the Christmas season.

—Walter B. Warren, Jr., of Beacon street is one of thirty-nine students who have been chosen by the Mask and Wig Club of the University of Pennsylvania to participate in the annual Skit Night of that organization to be held on the University campus January 7th. Warren is a freshman in the Arts and Science course. Prior to entering the University of Pennsylvania Warren attended the Newton High School where he was a member of the track team, secretary of the school debating society and prominent in club affairs.

—At the Newton Centre Unitarian Church next Sunday morning, January 2, the minister, Rev. G. L. Parker, will have as the topic for his sermon, "If I Were King in 1927," a sermon for the new year. All Americans believe in democracy. It is our chosen way of government, but every citizen sometimes feels that if he only had the power he could accomplish vast improvements. The question suggested by the topic, and to be briefly discussed, is how far this personal autocracy and public opinion can be made to work together. It leads to the thought of what public opinion really is and how much each private citizen can contribute to it. The question of public morals and the question of christian citizenship cannot be partisan nor political, but the Churches have a right to suggest methods of thinking that will contribute to better living.

THE SECOND CHURCH

WEST NEWTON

10.45 A. M. Morning Worship.

Rev. Robert L. Underwood will preach.

9.30 A. M. Church School.

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West Newton

—There will be a New Year's party at the Neighborhood Club this evening.

—Mrs. Harry L. Ayer of Prince street is entertaining guests from Philadelphia.

—There will be a New Year's dinner dance at the Brae Burn Country Club this evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Smith of Waltham street spent Christmas at Beckett, Mass.

—Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Glazier of Waltham street entertained a family party over the holiday.

—Mr. Neal Lovell of Otis street is at home from Dartmouth for the Christmas vacation.

—Hon. George H. Ellis has been reappointed a trustee of the Massachusetts Hospital school.

—Mrs. Katherine Cowin of Prince street gave a tea December 22nd for her daughter, Miss Katherine Cowin.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chaplin of New York spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chaplin of Waltham street.

—Mrs. Neal and Mrs. Harry Ayer entertained the Journey Club at luncheon December 16th at the home of Mrs. Neal in Brookline.

—Miss Elizabeth Jack of Austin street was one of the soloists last Tuesday afternoon at the Christmas celebration given by the Prelude Club of Boston.

—Among the college girls, who are spending the Christmas vacation at their homes are Elizabeth Miller, Eleanor Magrane, Gertrude Davis, Winifred Scott, Edith Frost, and Marion Eaton.

—Mrs. Helen Buchanan, a resident of this village for 11 years, died Monday at her late home, 2 Lexington street. She was 75 years of age. Her remains were taken to Topsham, Vermont, for interment.

—Dr. Fred Lowe's chow dog, well known to West Newton residents, died Tuesday morning from wounds received in a battle with three other dogs. He was a great favorite around City Hall, for unlike most chow dogs, he would make friends with strangers.

—The Newton Mothers' Club will be entertained by Mr. Robert Lungur, baritone and Mr. Clifford Kemp, pianist on January 3, 1927, at the home of Mrs. W. G. Crosby, 40 Lenox street. Hostesses: Mrs. W. E. Crosby, Mrs. R. Chapman, Jr., Mrs. W. F. Chase, Mrs. H. M. Cole, Mrs. C. F. Cook, Jr., Mrs. Allan Cooke.

—Rev. Paul S. Phalen, minister of the First Unitarian Society, and Mrs. Phalen, will hold a New Year's Eve reception for the members of the church and other friends tonight from 4.30 to six o'clock in the parish house at the corner of Washington and Highland streets, West Newton. The arrangements for the reception are in the hands of the social committee of the society, of which Mrs. J. Mervin Allen is chairman.

—On Wednesday of Christmas week, Mrs. Phister Cowin presented her daughter, Miss Katherine Cowin at a small tea, at their home, 292 Prince street. The house was attractive with Christmas greens and flowers, and a charming group of college girls, headed by Miss Alice Phelps presided over the tea tables. Miss Cowin, who was graduated with honors from Dana Hall in 1925, is now a member of the Sophomore class at Vassar, where she will resume her studies when the holiday season is over.

MEMORIAL TO MR. WEEKS

The American Legion of Massachusetts presented a memorial volume containing a eulogy of the life and services of John W. Weeks to the family of the late secretary of war at their home in West Newton Sunday. The volume is morocco bound and the leaves are engrossed with tributes to Mr. Weeks as a citizen, officer in the Navy, senator and secretary of war. A mahogany case for the book bears a silver inscription plate, "John Wingate Weeks, 1860-1926."

The book contains 10 pages of hand scrolled work, in color, on parchment, all enclosed within leather covers. The front cover contains the words "In Memoriam."

The tribute was prepared as a result of a resolution adopted at the state convention of the Legion at Salem in September. Robert J. White, William J. Keville, William McGinnis, Edward L. Logan and Henry J. Ryan were the committee appointed to design and present the volume.

FIRE RECORD

Monday afternoon at 1.30, Box 266 was pulled needlessly when someone saw what appeared to be smoke issuing from the house at 5 Beaumont avenue, Newtonville. The "smoke" was really steam escaping from the heater in the cellar.

Wednesday evening at 7.10, Box 171 was for a fire in the house at 56 Gardner street, Newton, occupied by John Durkin. The blaze was started when electric wires on a Christmas tree short-circuited.

DEATH OF MRS. WILSON

Mrs. Anna May Wilson died last week Thursday at her home, 140 Jewett street, Newton, where she had resided since 1918, having previously made her home in Mt. Vernon, N. Y. Her maiden name was Holly, and she was born in Lockport, N. Y. Mrs. Wilson was identified with Grace Episcopal Church, and active in its parochial life, and she was a member of the Newton Community Club. She is survived by her husband, Charles G. Wilson; a son, Edgar G. Wilson of Newton, and a daughter, Mrs. A. L. Gibson of Coeur d'Alene, Ida.

Join the Christmas Club at the West Newton Savings Bank

SINGERS INVITED

The opportunity is now given the singers of Newton and vicinity to join the Newton Choral Society in preparing for its 15th concert to be given early in April. One or more musical works of great interest and beauty will be given. This is a fine chance for musical enjoyment and culture under a highly competent director, Mr. William Lester Bates. Rehearsals each Tuesday evening at Technical high school hall, Newtonville, at 7.45 o'clock.

Auburndale

—Mrs. J. B. Shaw of Central terrace is convalescing after her recent illness.

—Mr. Lionel Wyeth of Auburn street is out again after a three weeks' illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Cowls of Grove street left this week for a trip to Florida.

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—The was a social meeting of the Home department of the Congregational Sunday School on Tuesday afternoon.

The Messiah Woman's Guild will meet on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John I. Heibeck, 5 Chaske avenue.

—Miss Mildred Beardsley of Crescent street furnished the entertainment for the White Shrine at Masonic Hall, Lynn, last Tuesday.

—Mr. Harry Cowdrey of Youngstown, Ohio, is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Cowdrey of Owatonna street.

—Mrs. George F. Howland was the hostess at the all day meeting of the Woman's Association of the Congregational Church ,held on Wednesday.

—The Woman's Guild of the Messiah will be in charge of a social evening for sailors at the Sailors Home, Charlestown, on Monday evening, Januray 3.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Frost, the Misses Edith and Mary Frost and Mr. an Mrs. David E. Sprague are members of the Tozier party, now enjoying winter sports at Quebec.

—Little Jean Budding of Commonwealth avenue was one of the dancers at an entertainment given on Christmas morning for the sick children at the Homeopathic Hospital, Boston.

—Mr. and Mrs. Strabo V. Claggett of Washington street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter last Monday at the Natick hospital. The child has been named Florence Julia.

—The Service of Lights, illustrating the story of the visit of the Wise Men, will be held in the Church of the Messiah at the Special Evening Service at 7.30 on Sunday. Other services at 7.30 and 11.30 A. M. The Christmas music will be repeated at the 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. services.

—Francis Kenney of 41 Cuba street, Watertown, was found not guilty in the Newton Court Wednesday morning by Judge Frost of Brighton on the charge of driving so as to endanger the lives and safety of the public. Kenney was the operator of the truck which killed Douglas Desoe, 15, on Auburn street, several weeks ago. The charge against Kenney was brought after an inquest had been made. The boy, when killed, was pulling a small cart which he used in the the delivery of newspapers. In rendering his decision Judge Frost stated that he did not consider the truck to have been driven at an excessive speed when the accident occurred, that Kenney naturally would not suppose anyone would be on the street such a rainy night, and that he was justified in keping the wind shield on the truck closed, although there was no wiper on the windshield. Registrar of Motor Vehicles Goodwin, ruled last year that automobiles not equipped with windshield wipers, must keep the windshields open while being operated in rainy weather.

Newton Centre

—The annual meeting of Trinity parish takes place next Tuesday evening.

—Miss Geraldine Brock who has been teaching in Chicago for the past few years, is spending the holidays here.

W. C. T. U.

The Newton Woman's Christian Temperance Union will celebrate the seventh Anniversary of "National Constitutional Prohibition" at the Cline Memorial Church, corner of Hartford street and Erie avenue, Newton Highlands, on Thursday, January sixth, at 2.30 P. M. Prayer service: Leader, Mrs. George E. Tufts. Bible verses—prayers, silent meditation, songs. Members all present and active.

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SCHOOL NOTES

Bigelow School

The Assembly period last week was changed to Thursday and was devoted to Christmas exercises. The program opened with a recitation, "I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day," by Pauline Munson of the English Club. This was followed with a Christmas play by members of the Dramatic Club under the leadership of Mrs. Everett. The cast was appropriately selected and all taking part entered into its presentation with enthusiasm. The influence of the Christmas spirit in overcoming selfishness and thoughtless actions was well brought out. Carols by the school were interspersed.

All are looking forward with much interest to the change of hours and schedule after vacation. School will begin every morning, as formerly, at eight-thirty and continue till two o'clock. French is elective in the seventh grade and will be taught by Miss Priscilla Aurelio, a graduate of Wellesley and a student in Paris. There will be two periods each week in Physical Education under the direction of Mr. Baker and Miss Brown. The other subjects will continue without much change for the present.

We are very fortunate in having the new lunch room under the efficient management of Miss Helen Seavey, and all may rest assured that foods suitable for school children will be served each day. Fresh paint, renewed plumbing, new cooking and serving dishes, a Kelvinator of the latest type, an ice cream refrigerator, and other equipment have transformed the old cooking room into a modern kitchen.

The new demonstration table in Room 4, equipped with gas and water conveniences, will add to the interest in science work.

Ralph Waldo Emerson School

The spirit of Christmas has pervaded the school with ever increasing degrees of fullness during the past two weeks. Hand work, music, room projects, and whatnot have all been used in working out the expression of the beautfiul Christmas spirit.

Window decorations, room decorations of a varied character, and prettily dressed trees have added brightness and happiness to each room scene.

The kindergarten had a Christmas party and entertainment with distribution of presents from a beautiful dressed tree on Wendesday, at 10.15 o'clock. Many parents were present at these exercises. The kindergarten received a valuable present of a box of large sized and home made building blocks, made by Mr. James Heald, parents of one of the kindergarteners.

Mrs. Frank Fanning presented all the pupils of several class rooms with Christmas cards of her own printing. To the boys of the school, she made a gift of $5.00, to be used for something for the school.

The Christmas entertainment for the whole school was given in the Hall on Thursday forenoon, at 10.15 o'clock. The program opened with carols sung by the entire school. A Christmas pageant, "The Nativity" was given by the kindergarten. "The Toy Shop" was given by Miss Smith's class. The graduating class presented an elaborately worked out "Four Scenes from "Christmas Carol" by Charles Dickens, with these as the chief characters; Scrooge, Harold Strombom; Ghost, Clementina Panella; Scrooge's Nephew, Edward Cooper; Bob Cratchit, Abraham Bradshaw; Mrs. Cratchit, Esther Batey other minor characters were introduced. Mrs. Shue's girls' gave a drill. Mrs. Lacroix's class gave "The Christmas Message," a series of songs and recitations. The classes of Miss Doe and Miss Hardy gave a combined number, the play, "What Happened Around the Christmas Tree." Miss Kelly's class had the closing number, the play, "Who Trimmed the Christmas Tree."

MISS SMITH ENGAGED

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Dorothy Dudley Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carter Smith of Newton Centre to Mr. Henry Savage Chase Cummings of Brookline.

Miss Smith attended the Brimmer School and graduated from Bradford Academy, and from Boston University, class of 1926. Since then she has been teaching at the Children's Museum in Jamaica Plain. This past summer she won, for the sixth time, the National Archery championship.

Mr. Cummings prepared for Harvard at Stuyvesant School, Virginia, from which he graduated in 1917. During the World War he served in the U. S. N. R. F. and is now in the insurance business in Boston. He belongs to the Boston Life Underwriters' Association, Harvard Church Brotherhood, All Saints' Men's Club, Brookline Lodge, A. F. & A. M., Brookline Chapter, O. E. S., Massachusetts Consistory 32 Degree, St. Paul's R. A. Chapter, Aleppo Shrine, and is a Brookline Town Meeting member.

The wedding will take place in June.

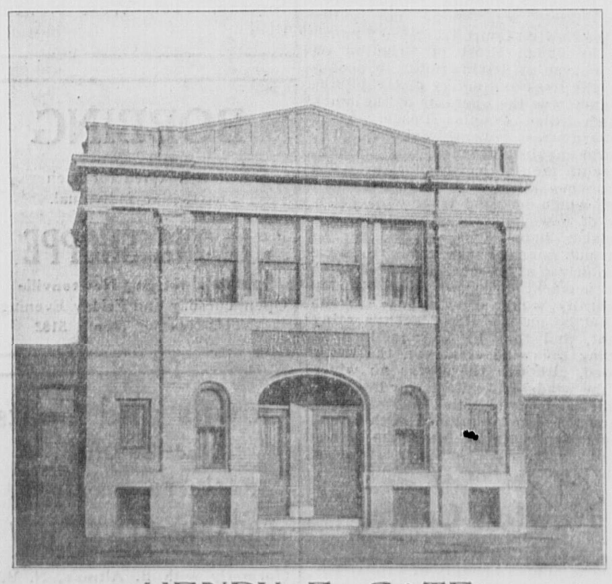
NEWTON ROTARY CLUB

Mr. Joseph F. Lockett, a member of the school committee from Newton Centre, was the guest and speaker at the weekly luncheon of the Newton Rotary club held Monday noon, at the Woodland Golf Club.

Mr. Lockett called the attention of the members to the crowded conditions of the Newton schools and the serious problems the city must face in the near future, in the way of a new junior high school on the south side, a new primary or grade school at Chestnut hill, the important matter of transportation of children to school. He also urged the men to take as much of a personal interest in the schools as the mothers are taking, and deplored the lack of interest in civic affairs by the men.

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AUBURNDALE CLUB, Inc.

The Board of Directors of the Auburndale Club have elected the former Vice President, Charles B. Floyd to fill the unexpired term of Leonard B. Berry, who recently resigned as President of the Club. George A. Bacon has been elected Vice President. Mr. Berry's resignation, which was made necessary by stress of other work, was accepted by the Board of Directors with deep regret, and with appreciation of the devoted service he has given to the Club.

The Auburndale Club House has become the civic center of the village activities, and affords a meeting place through its splendid auditorium and well equipped stage for meetings of every description. The bowling alleys and billiard and pool tables are accessible for recreation, and the clean moving pictures shown every Friday evening at low prices are entertaining and wholesome. The facilities of the Club are not only available to residents of Auburndale, but may be engaged by other organizations.

TO CHOW—DR. LOWE'S DOG

(The following lines are written in memory of City Physician, Fred M. Lowe's dog, Chow, who was bitten and torn by three dogs, left in the snow, and finally rescued and brought home, where he died two days later.)

Dear old Chow, you've gone away
To Doggies' Heaven, where you may
Forget this world's heartbreaking strife
And lead a peaceful after-life.

To Doctor Lowe you were so true,
That where he went, you would go too.
You'd go right inside City Hall
Where you were loved by one and all.

Small children, on their way to school
Would rumple up your shaggy wool.
They knew that they need have no fear
That you would bring them aught but cheer.

You were so gentle and so good
We don't see how you ever could
Have had a single enemy.
Each of us thought "Chow, friend to me."

If you had lived your life in full,
Our heartstrings would not feel that pull,
But what is such a cruel blight
Is—that you died from unfair fight.

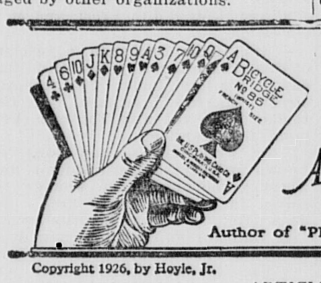
And you were brought home, maimed and sore
To your beloved master's door.
He tried in vain Death's grip to sever
Before he closed your eyes forever.

But now we know 'twas not to be.
And although many a dog we'll see
With kindly eyes and gentle face,
No dog will ever take your place.

—Katherine E. Kimball.

TEACHERS RECEPTION

Mayor Childs and the School Committee will hold a reception to the School teachers of the city at the High School auditorium, Newtonville, next week, Friday evening, at 7.30 o'clock. Judge Michael J. Murray of Boston, will deliver an address after the reception and the High school orchestra will provide music.



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ARTICLE No. 4

One of the most interesting hands that the writer has come across in a long time was submitted recently, with the request that the proper bidding of all four hands be given. It is as follows:

	Hearts — 9 Clubs — none Diamonds — A, K, Q, J, 9, 8, 7, 5, 4, 3 Spades — 10, 7	
Hearts — Q Clubs — A, K, Q, J, 8, 7, 6 Diamonds — none Spades — A, K, Q, J, 2	Y A B Z	Hearts — A, K, J, 10, 8, 7, 3, 2 Clubs — 3, 2 Diamonds — 6, 2 Spades — 9
	Hearts — 6, 5, 4 Clubs — 10, 9, 5, 4 Diamonds — 10 Spades — 8, 6, 5, 4, 3	

No score, first game. Z deals and passes. What is A's proper bid and the natural continuation of the bidding? A should bid one club but with the firm intention of bidding spades on the next round if the opportunity is offered. It is apparently a freak hand all around and if A finds five spades in an opponent's hand and is ruffed in diamonds at once, he may not be able to make game. For that reason, one club seems the better opening bid with A's hand than one spade. When A bids one club, Y is in a position where he wants to shut out any information about hearts or spades so should bid five diamonds. B is in a position where he can safely bid five hearts because of A's bid of one club, showing tops in that suit. Z must pass and A is confronted with the problem of bidding six clubs, five spades or passing. Either bid is sound but the pass seems the better judgment. Next to passing, six clubs is the best bid. Whatever A does, Y should bid six diamonds. The bidding should indicate to him that A-B have an overwhelming hand and it is up to him to save the game, if possible, at the expense of not more than 200 points less his honor score. B should now bid six hearts to show A that the five heart bid was sound. Z and A should now pass and Y, in the writer's opinion, should bid seven diamonds. His maximum loss is 300 points less 80 honors, or a net loss of 220 points. He also has the chance that if A-B overbid with seven in hearts that he and his partner may be able to take a trick. B should double seven diamonds and Z should pass. With A's hand, the writer would also pass. The double of seven diamonds is a certain profit and the bid of seven hearts is doubtful. Always play the certainty in this position. As the cards lie, a bid of seven hearts could be defeated by one trick if Z would open a club. It is a foregone conclusion that either A or B is void of diamonds and the fact that Z has four clubs and the knowledge that there are other void suits around the table would influence a sharp player to open clubs. With any other opening, A-B would make seven hearts. A-B can also make seven clubs with any opening so that Y's bid of seven diamonds was a good sacrifice.

The test hands given in the preceding article caused a wide difference of opinion, so don't be disappointed if your analysis varies from the writer's.

Answer to Problem No. 2

Y
A B
Z

Hearts — 7
Clubs — 8, 4
Diamonds — A, K, Q, 7, 6, 2
Spades — J, 10, 4, 3

Rubber game, no score. Z dealt and bid one diamond. A bid two clubs, Y passed and B bid four clubs. What should Z now bid? Z should pass. His partner Y wasn't even able to bid two diamonds over two clubs so must have a pretty weak hand. If Z bids four diamonds, he is sure to get doubled and lose at least 400 points. In the actual game, Z did bid four diamonds, was doubled and lost 500 points — a pretty severe penalty for such bad bidding.

Answer to Problem No. 3

Y
A B
Z

Hearts — 6
Clubs — 7, 4
Diamonds — 9, 8
Spades — A, K, J, 10, 7, 5, 4, 2

Rubber game, Y-Z, 10; A-B, 21. What would you bid if you dealt and held Z's hand? When Z looked his hand over, he thought to himself, "I can make two or three spades with this hand but no more unless my partner has a big hand, in which case we are in no danger anyway. If, however, he hasn't a big hand, how can I get the bid with this hand as cheaply as possible. There's only one way to accomplish that, by concealing the spade strength and endeavoring to make my opponents think I have an entirely different type of hand." With this idea in view, Z opened the bidding with one heart, A bid one no-trump, Y bid two hearts and B bid two no-trump. Z wasn't in a position to pass and try to defeat the two no-trump bid for his partner would surely open hearts. Z, therefore, bid three spades, hoping that A-B would not overbid him. As a matter of fact, they doubled and here's where Z was lucky. His partner also passed, although he held five hearts to the ace and only three spades to the ten. He was a sharp player, however, and figured that Z must be trying some stunt or he wouldn't bid three spades over two no-trump, after he helped the heart bid, unless Z had a very good reason, so he trusted Z and passed. Y-Z just made three spades doubled, whereas A-B had five odd either in clubs or in diamonds. Z's trick bid in this case was well thought out and well supported by his partner. Such trick bidding is not recommended, but is given as an interesting example of a clever departure from normal bidding.

Answer to Problem No. 4

Hearts — Q, 10, 4
Clubs — 10, 5
Diamonds — A
Spades — K, Q, 10, 9, 8, 6, 3

Y
A B
Z

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and bid one no-trump, A passed, Y bid two spades and B passed. Z bid two no-trump and A passed. What should Y now bid? Y should bid three spades. Z's bid of two no-trump should inform Y that Z has only two little spades or a singleton, but that he has high cards in the other three suits. With Y's length in spades and such an unbalanced hand, he should stand a better chance for game in spades than in no-trump. The object of all sound bidding is to get the best bid for 26 cards, not for 13. Remember this advice and if you can give additional information of a sound character by rebidding your suit, don't hesitate to do so.

WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from Page 3)

Social Science Club

On Wednesday morning, the 5th, the Social Science Club has its Business Meeting for the opening meeting of the New Year, so clearing away all household accumulations of the old year, and setting forth its attractive decorations for the coming sessions. The meeting will be held as usual at 10 o'clock at the Hunnewell Club.

Dr. Mary R. Lakeman, epidermologist, will talk about what the State is doing for cancer. Mrs. Everett E. Kent and Mrs. Heyward P. Rolfe will be the hostesses at this meeting.

Community Service Club of West Newton

The Community Service Club of West Newton starts its New Year with a search into the intriguing influences of psychology, perhaps with the unspoken, even unadmitted, longing in the background to find some magic by which wonderful things may be brought to pass in the veiled days to come. H. Addington Bruce of Cambridge, student and interpreter of this fascinating "cult", author and lecturer and journalist, will present his subject under the title of "Psychology and Life." The Club will meet at 2.30 o'clock in the Parish House of the Second Church.

On Friday morning, the 7th, the Club will enjoy the next in the series of Current Events Lectures, in the Parish House of the Unitarian Church, at 10.30 o'clock. Mrs. Claude U. Gilson will present the "latest" in world events.

Newton Centre Woman's Club

Do you sing? If you don't, do you want to? Mrs. H. A. Nissen, chairman of the Music Committee of the Newton Centre Woman's Club, is offering you this magic opportunity to gain musical education, and at the same time entertain your Club members, by calling a meeting for Tuesday, January 4th, at 3 o'clock, of all Club members interested, with the view of forming a Choral Class.

The Educational Committee offers the third in its Series of Informal Talks on "What to See, Hear, and Read in Art, Music, and Literature," with Mrs. Charles Bennett, Mrs. W. Cornell Appleton, and Mrs. Edward R. Benton as speakers, on Wednesday, January 5th, at 10.30.

Mrs. Grace Morrison Poole gives the third of her monthly Current Events Lectures on Thursday, January 6th, at 10.30 o'clock.

So that for three days next week the members of the Newton Centre Woman's Club may find education, relaxation, cultivation, in as many enjoyable arrangements for their edification.

The art committee of the Newton Centre Woman's Club announces three talks on "Antiques" for successive Monday mornings, on January 10, 17 and 24 at 10.30 to be given by Miss Grace Weston. Members of the class will have the privilege of a visit to the home of Mrs. Katherine Loring in Wayland to see her collections, going on at the tea hour to the Wayside Inn.

Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands

Shakespeare's delightful comedy, "Taming of the Shrew," is to be studied by the members of the Newton Highlands Shakespeare Club for their next few meetings, enjoyment of it beginning on Saturday, January 8th. The Quiz on the first two acts will be conducted by Mrs. W. E. Moore, secretary of the Club, and the hostess will be Mrs. S. L. Eaton, who opens her home, 340 Lake Avenue. The Quiz is not only presentation, discussion, and all else that its name implies, but it is a marvelous form of extracting a great deal besides sober information, to the delight of everyone in the keen repartee that results.

DATES OF NEXT MEETINGS

January 3 — Christian Era Study Club.
January 3—Waban Woman's Club.
January 3—Newton Upper Falls Woman's Club.
January 4 — Auburndale Review Club.
January 4—Newton Highlands Woman's Club.
January 4 — Newtonville Woman's Club.
January 5—Social Science Club.
January 5—Community Service Club of West Newton.
January 5—Newton Centre Woman's Club, Informal Talk.
January 6—Newton Centre Woman's Club Current Events.
January 8 — Shakespeare Club of Newton Highlands.
January 10 — Newton Highlands C. L. S. C.
January 10—Monday Club of Newton Highlands.
January 13 — Newton Community Club.
January 13 — Auburndale Woman's Club.
January 14—West Newton Women's Educational Club.

REAL ESTATE

John T. Burns & Sons report that Lester D. Brett of Swampscott, has sold to Walter Carlo a large tract of land known as the Whittemore Estate, situated on Bellevue, Howard and Summitt streets, Mount Ida, Newton. The property comprises eleven lots of high grade land in the single residence zone, also a large building used by the Whittemore's for a garage. The total valuation of the estate is $28,000.

Burns and Sons also report the sale of 78 Circuit avenue, Newton Highlands, a two family frame house, with 9,000 sq. ft. of land, and valued at $12,000. Catherine Prince gave title to George M. Miller who purchases for occupancy.

George F. Gavin conveys to George B. Cameron a lot of land situated on the corner of Commonwealth avenue and Melrose street, Auburndale, known as lot No. 7, containing about 5,000 sq. ft. and valued at $2,000. John T. Burns and Sons were the brokers.

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K. B. B. ACTIVITIES

Members of K. B. B. were entertained at "Camp Sloane" on Monday, December 27th by the following Scouts of Troop I, Newtonville: Assistant Scout Masters Stanley Brown, Robert Kinriad, Richard Hunt and Alfred Zeigler, also Arnold Nichols, Pady Kinraid, Colligan and Lapham. The chaperones included Mrs. Ernest Nixon, Mrs. George Saunders, Mrs. J. Olcott, Mrs. Joseph Roper and Miss Estelle Marsh. The following girls were in the party: Marjorie Bolster, Marjorie Chapman, Doris and Barbara Dalton, Anne Gordon, Virginia and Barbara Rogers, Eleanor Mildram, Mary Olcott, Virginia Vining, Margret Blunt, Addra Saunders and Kay Nixon. Mrs. Pitt Drew and Mrs. J. R. Clarke generously donated their cars and helped taxi the crowd up and back. Other cars were driven by Alfred Zeigler and Stanley Brown. Skiing, snow-shoeing and skating furnished the amusements, after which a delicious steak dinner was cooked and served by the Scouts.

Members of the K. B. B. are giving a holiday invitation dance Thursday evening, December thirtieth, at eight o'clock in St. John's Parish House. The matrons are Mrs. Raymond Lang, Mrs. Albert C. Blunt, Mrs. Pitt L. Drew, Mrs. Ernest Nixon, Mrs. George W. Saunders and Miss Estelle Marsh.

Mrs. Herbert Rogers, Mrs. David Cobb, Mrs. Albert Gordon, and Mrs. Hayes are assisting with punch; Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. Mildram, Mrs. Vining, and Mrs. Clark are in charge of the refreshments. The orchestra is being furnished by Mr. Winthrop Clarke.

Miss Margaret Blunt of 85 Prince street, West Newton, entertained at bridge for the members of K. B. B.

Miss Katharine R. Nixon will be hostess to the members of K. B. B. at a bridge party at her home, 29 Trowbridge avenue, Newtonville, Friday afternoon, December 31st at two-thirty.

MRS. ANNIE T. WALSH

Mrs. Annie T. (Cotter) Walsh, widow of John B. Walsh, died at her home, 21 Marlboro Street, Newton, on Monday, December 20th, after two weeks' illness. She has been a resident of Newton for the last eleven years, and also spent her early life in this city. Soon after her marriage she moved to Roxbury, where for many years she was a faithful attendant of St. Francis de Sales Church and was highly respected for her many good deeds.

She is survived by four daughters, Mary, Margaret and Lulu, and Mrs. James W. Barry and two grandchildren.

The funeral services were held on Thursday morning, December 23rd, at 9.30 at the Church of Our Lady of the Presentation, the pastor, Reverend James J. Murphy, celebrating the solemn requiem mass assisted by Fathers McDonough and Fitzgerald. A number of clergymen friends of the family were seated within the sanctuary. The interment was in Holyhood Cemetery, Brookline, where the commital service was read by Father Murphy assisted by Fathers O'Brien, Herlihy, Mantle and Donahue.

NEWTON CHORAL SOCIETY

The Newton Choral Society resumes its rehearsals Tuesday evening, at the Technical high school hall, Newtonville, and rehearsals will be held from now on every Tuesday evening, at 7.45. It is customary at the spring concert each year, to give some famous cantata or oratorio, usually with orchestral accompaniment. That plan will be followed this year, and the society wil work on some masterpiece of this type, the singing of which will be an inspiring experience to all who take part, and it will be of great value to those who desire practise in singing.

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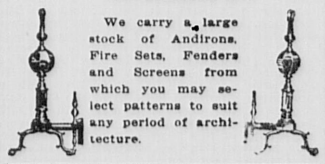
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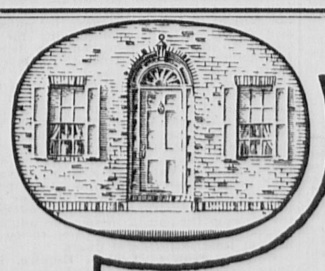
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ONE THING AND ANOTHER

Written by LEVERETT D. G. BENTLEY

Another thing to remember! It's 1927, or will be after midnight tonight. Not that the difference will greatly impress us, except a few things. Chief among them is the necessity of dating letters, checks, etc., with the new figures. It won't necessarily mean a failing memory if we put it down 1926 a few times. We've got into the habit, and habits are like boils and Canadian dimes and quarters,—hard to get rid of.

I don't know how we could fix it so that when entering upon a new year we would be prepared to give the correct date without a mistake. We might spend some days, or a week or two in advance of New Year's, "educating" ourselves. Nowadays we hear much of the need and importance of "educating" the public. I do believe that such a thing has been suggested for the solution of about every social problem under the sun. However, no more of it in this column for the present, although I should like to reserve my rights to discuss it at some later time.

We might, of course, start in around Christmas and say to each other, "Merry Christmas and Happy Nineteen Twenty-seven," or whatever year was then approaching. It would soon come as naturally as if we were ordering goods by the number, or referring to some stock market quotation, or perhaps interested in a pious lottery or raffle for some worthy cause. And yet, I think myself, it would get us in the habit of saying over the new figures, and we would be ready to date checks and letters properly when the time came.

Personally, I am sorry I didn't think of this very clever idea before, but as I didn't I shall have to apologize.

Nevertheless, I should like at this moment to say to the readers of this column, many of whom have been good enough to send me their greetings, that I wish for all—"A HAPPY 1927."

I wonder how many readers of this column have seen the billboard or sign on the front of Boston City Hall whereon is printed in large, imposing letters the New Year's greeting of the Mayor of that city. It is not a new idea. Boston Mayors for years past have been doing this sort of thing, off and on or on and off, whichever way you prefer. I have an idea it is one of those things that the critical are inclined to disapprove on the ground that it is political strategy, no more and no less.

Whatever it may be doesn't concern me. I was just wondering what Newton citizens would say if when passing City Hall they should see a sign of similar character. Now the front of our Newton City Hall is not an impressive sight at best. With a large painted sign nailed over the front door its appearance, in my opinion, would certainly not be improved. And yet when I mentioned the idea to a friend he said, "Well, Newton's City Hall isn't much to look at but it might be made useful as a billboard." Of course he was having his little joke and I don't know as I blame him. It comes so natural—making City Hall jokes.

I can easily imagine that if Newton's Mayor attempted to exploit himself by having his felicitations to the citizens displayed in such a manner he would hear from it. Or if he didn't hear it would be because his hearing had suddenly become impaired. Such a thing in Newton could not be done without the approval of the Board of Aldermen as there would be involved the expenditure of a sum of money. Then, too, the necessary order might be amended to include the names of the members of the Board themselves. That would require additional money.

I am not writing this because Newton's Chief Executive and Board of Aldermen members have failed to do something; I am, because they have not. It is to thank them that I call the matter to public attention. I am grateful that they are considerate enough to spend their own money on personal greeting cards, for that is the surest way they may find of assuring the citizens of their good wishes for the New Year.

I hope my readers haven't so soon forgotten events of Christmas that reference to anything in connection with that day will be asking them to overwork their memories. But I've been thinking about the piles of boxes, wrapping paper, etc., and the yards of string that accumulate in every home on Christmas.

I must admit I wouldn't have been so deeply struck with this idea if the matter hadn't been presented to me in a rather unusual way. Now I had the good fortune last week to have been invited to attend a family reunion in a beautiful country home some 40 miles from Boston. It is one of those Colonial mansions, especially adapted for Christmas effects, and the owners of which understand so perfectly the art of entertaining.

A young matron to whom I was presented, startled me by confiding that she had been for a week in an atmosphere of "discarded wrapping paper, boxes and things." She is the wife of a college professor, and in that capacity attended several college Christmas trees, a Sunday school tree, a settlement house tree, and finally three distinct private trees in the homes of relatives. I must say I scarcely could blame her for sighing at the great pile of rubbish that is left on the battlefield after Santa Claus has been set upon by his beneficiaries.

If some one of those of fertile brain who like to delve in statistics would sit down and figure out how many million miles of string are used to tie up Christmas bundles each year, and how many million tons of paper used to wrap them—well, we should have another crumb of valuable knowledge in our mental cupboard, but it wouldn't make any difference otherwise.

Speaking of keeping track of things, I wonder how many people employ a system to do for them what they cannot do themselves? I don't seem to recall a time when so many people carried these little memorandum pads. It's getting to be an almost common sight to see a man draw forth a little leather-bound volume and write down something like this: "Get gloves left to be mended. Speak about over-charge on garage bill. Call up Henry about bridge date."

These little pads have, of course, far more value to the men. It is so much easier and so much more masculine to reach in one's pocket and produce a pad on which notes may be made. I was in the act of doing that very thing when a friend said, "Is that the way you work it?"

"Yes," I replied, "I find it far simpler than any other arrangement."

"Let me tell you," said he, "of a professional man of my acquaintance and how he always does. If he has an errand to do for his wife he writes himself a letter. He begins by sending for his stenographer and dictating: 'Mr. ————. My dear sir: Your attention is hereby called to the fact that you are this day to go to Cash and Carry's Department Store and there purchase for your wife four yards of dress material the same as enclosed sample. You will please see that this matter is attended to this day without fail and oblige, ——.' He signs his own name, the letter is placed on his desk and attended to along with the other mail."

Continuing my friend said, "You think this is a cumbersome, round-about way of jogging one's own memory? Maybe it is, but it never fails to work."

All fresh for the new
As we enter the old.
With brave hearts we'll see,
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Let's take like good sports
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CAMP F. A. DAY REUNION

Campers and Friends Gather at the Newton Y. M. C. A. for Annual Reunion

On Monday evening, December 27th, one hundred and forty-six campers and friends attended the mid-winter reunion of Camp Frank A. Day. At five o'clock there was a swim in the pool after which there was an informal get-together by parents, Camp Committee and their wives. At 6.30 all sat down to the banquet and Mr. H. W. Bascom, General Secretary, asked the blessing. Following the banquet a welcome was given to the campers, parents, and friends by Mr. G. Clement Colburn, a member of the Camp Committee. Mr. Colburn, in his remarks, stated that there was over 80 per cent of the campers at the reunion which gives a strong mark for loyalty.

The Camp Day players, consisting of Bryce Jose, Harrison Blake, Charles Jack, Everett Keeler, George Defren, James Albree, Galen Bloom, and Woodruff Buxton presented two short plays entitled "Humors of the Strike," and "Dizzie's Dilemma." They were received with great applause by the campers which reminded them of their Saturday night productions while at camp. Pictures of camp were thrown on the screen and Mr. R. William Draper and Milton Edgar entertained with mandolin and saxophone duets.

Closing remarks by Camp Directors Clyde G. Hess urged all who plan to attend camp to get their applications in as early as possible as there were some thirty disappointed last year. The camp will begin June 29th this next year and will run for a nine week season.

The following parents attended the reunion: Mr. and Mrs. Bloom, Mr. and Mrs. Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Whalen, Mr. and Mrs. Hapgood, Mr. and Mrs. Bascom, Mr. and Mrs. L. Chase Kepner, Dr. and Mrs. Giddings, Mr. Charles Center, Mrs. B. Dyer, Mrs. George Houghton, Mr. J. Griffin, Mr. Alfred Hansen, Mr. H. Jose, Mr. E. R. LaCrosse, Mr. George Marsh, Mr. Severance, Mr. S. Smith, Mr. Tuttle, Mrs. Nathan Hawkes, Mrs. William Dow, and Mr. Watters, Director of the Cambridge Y. M. C. A. Camp.

A committee of ladies from the Ladies Auxiliary served the supper under the direction of Miss Emma Page; Mrs. Prescott, Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Giddings. Mrs. Bascom, Mrs. LaCrosse, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Hess, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Ames, Mrs. Buxton, and Mrs. Alden.

Applications were received last night for the 1927 season and registration may be secured from the boys' division of the Newton Young Men's Christian Association.

NORUMBEGA SUNDAY SCHOOL DISTRICT

The Norumbega District School of Religious Education has just announced its plan for the second term of the School, on Monday evenings, January 24 to March 28, inclusive. Meetings are to be held, as usual, at the Methodist Church, Newtonville.

The courses of study offered are to be as follows:—In the first period: "Church History," with Professor Booth; "Biblical Geography," with Professor Berkeley; "Primary Department Materials and Methods," with Miss Barker; "The Pupil," with Mr. Shaver. In the second period, the courses are: "The Project Principle in Teaching," Mr. Shaver; "A Study of the books of Daniel and Revelation," Professor Berkeley; and "The early Christmas Church," Professor Booth: and "Story Telling in the Church School," Miss Barker.

Two of the above instructors are new to the school this coming term, but both should be able to give strong courses. Rev. Erwin L. Shaver is the Leadership Training Secretary of the National Congregational Education Society. He is nationally known by his books on the practical application of projects to the church work.

Professor Edwin P. Booth has recently returned from study in Europe to resume his teaching of Church History in the Boston University School of Religious Education.

The Dean of the School remains Professor James P. Berkeley of Newton, who is already well and favorably known to all Sunday School workers in the District.

GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Moore, well known residents of Newton for over thirty years, observed their Golden Wedding last Sunday with an informal reception from three to ten o'clock at their home on Church street. About three hundred guests attended including many persons prominent in public life.

Among the many beautiful gifts were quantities of handsome flowers sent by friends and by organizations with which one or the other of the couple is connected.

Mrs. Moore's wedding dress, which had been carefully laid away for the half century, was worn by Miss Helene Moore, her youngest daughter.

TITANIA'S PALACE

Mrs. Frank H. Stewart of Newton Centre, who will act as hostess for the opening day of the showing of Titania's Palace at the Paine Furniture Company in Boston, January 10th to 29th inclusive, for the benefit of the Children's and Infants' Hospitals, is one of the group of Newton social leaders who are actively interested in this philanthropy.

The Palace, the largest, most beautiful and most valuable model building in miniature in the world, is the work of Major Sir Nevile Wilkinson, K. C. V. O., Ulster King of Arms and Principal Herald in All Ireland, who spent 23 years on this labor of love for children of the world, and is sending it on its world tour to benefit tiny sufferers in hospitals and institutions.

Mrs. Whittington and Mrs. Ames, in their announcements say that the Palace, containing a guest book the size of a postage stamp with the signature of Queen Mary on the first page, contains priceless tiny bits of antiquity from all nations of the world. A chess-table in the Morning Room is more than 100 years old; a sampler worked in 1797. The boxwood group of the Holy Family is from South Germany and was carved about 1610. The smallest rosary in the world, in the chapel, was once the handle of the private seal of the Duke of Leinster.

Other Newton women, in addition to Mrs. Stewart, who are active on the committees are: Mrs. Charles L. Smith, Treasurer of the Day; Mrs. H. P. Bradford in charge of the candy; Mrs. Albert W. Elliott, flowers; Mrs. Lawrence Black heads the Balloon Girls; Mrs. John F. Capron will call the fairies from their dell with gifts from the Wishing Well; and Mrs. George H. Crosbie will have her group of hostesses and young men at the entrance. There is a large coterie of women and debutantes assisting in all the attractions:—Mrs. E. E. Conway, Mrs. Frederick H. Baird, Mrs. R. E. Anderson, Mrs. H. N. Glover, Mrs. Moses Gulesian, Mrs. Herbert F. Hatch, Mrs. M. B. Dill, Mrs. C. P. Johnson, Mrs. Howard Marshall, Mrs. Walter Marston, Mrs. Henry I. Harriman, Mrs. M. L. Madden, Mrs. Henry J. Nichols, Mrs. Harry N. Matthews, Mrs. S. Clark Macomber, Mrs. W. M. Paxton, Mrs. E. Ray Speare, Mrs. J. Rollin Stuart, Mrs. Charles S. Wing, Mrs. William P. F. Ayer. Mrs. Norman Pratt. The younger set will include the Misses Conway, Rich, French, Glover, Hatch, Marshall, Hallett, Huntress, Lane, Liggett, Eleanor Snow, Cornelia Wing, Mrs. W. G. Dow, Mrs. Ralph Stuart.

There will be a Tea from 3 to 5 served by the Hotel Touraine with prominent women pouring, among whom will be Mrs. Alvan T. Fuller, Mrs. Malcolm E. Nichols, Mrs. Charles Sumner Bird, Mrs. Benjamin F. Pitman and others including stage stars appearing in Boston.

There will be some unusual exhibitions of miniature Chinese amber and Bristol crystals and Andrea Reggio's famous collection of dolls. With so many attractions for young and old this Exhibition should not be missed. Come and meet your Newton friends on the opening day.

BOY SCOUTS

The Annual Dinner given by the Council to the staff and Scoutmasters took place at the Y. M. C. A., Newton, Wednesday evening, with thirty in attendance. The coming Rally (February 9th), was discussed as well as the new plan for the Court of Honor. Every troop in the council except one was represented.

Mr. George Crosbie represented the Council at the dinner Tuesday at the City Club for representatives of Scout Organizations having camps in the vicinity of Dover. Mr. Robert Hale, Chairman of the Regional Camping Committee called the meeting with a view to organizing a local committee to confer on matters of importance and discuss the prospective improvements in that district.

Skippers Gilmore and Harrison of the Seascouts left Wednesday with the swimming team on a special trip to the camp of Mr. Hayes at Barnstable in recognition of the victory of the team in the recent swimming meet. They expect to remain over New Year's.

Re-registration is in order now for all troops except the two new troops which are registered to January 31st, 1928. Once every year a troop must re-register and each scout pay the re-registration fee of fifty cents, all of which goes to New York, each scout is then given a certificate which identifies him as a scout and entitles him to purchase uniforms and other restricted scout supplies. Let's do it NOW.

National Council has acted upon, in the National Court of Honor, the applications of William T. Carleton, Henry S. Colony, William L. Doton and John M. Hitchcock for the Eagle Scout Rank, the highest rank in Scouting. The badges will be awarded at a special awarding Court of Honor for their troop, No. 5 of Newton Centre, early in January. It is quite an unusual thing to have four scouts in the same troop qualify for the Eagle Rank at one time.

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ABOUT TOWN

The City of Newton snow fighting forces accomplished a record on December 26th. The new system, dividing the city into 28 routes, which was planned by Street Commissioner Stuart and his supervising force, was used for the first time, and 245 miles of accepted and unaccepted streets and 450 miles of sidewalks were completely broken out between 9 A. M. and 12 midnight, which is the fastest time in which the work was ever completed.

Outside of China there are no wars of consequence going on at the present time. But adventurous spirits anxious to test their mettle may have the opportunity. Certain jobs requiring courage are still to be had. George Lambie, proprietor of the Wolcott-Lambie Plumbing Company holds one of these nerve racking assignments. George is an official referee in the National Soccer League. Christmas Day he officiated at a game in Pawtucket between the J. & P. Coats team of that city and a team from Fall River. There is much rivalry between these two teams. George believes in calling penalties without fear or favor. Christmas Day the game was a tie. Mr. Lambie called a penalty on the home team which prevented a last minute score. This so aroused the ire of a certain element among the 4000 spectators that after the game he was greeted with a shower of snowballs. Baseball umpires lead a peaceful life compared with soccer referees.

Did your auto skid on the icy streets Christmas Eve? Or did you skid on the slippery sidewalks? It was about the "skiddingest" night we ever saw.

No skating because of the snow. Lots of places where one might coast. But no coasting because of the automobiles. The "kids" of former days certainly had more fun in the winters. 'Member riding on the runners of some friendly expressman's pung? Or the thrill of a sleigh ride behind a fast horse? Those were the "days of real sport." Even though the boys were not so rugged as the modern youths who substitute "slikumed hair" for winter caps, or the modern youthesses whose limbs have no more protection against zero weather than gauzy chiffon hosiery.

Traffic Officer Ray Taffe, who has the difficult assignment of directing foot, automobile and electric car traffic at Nonantum Square, again this winter is afforded no protection from slushy footing and biting winds. The health of a public servant so efficient as Officer Taffe should be protected by the slight expenditure which would have to be made by the city to provide him with an inexpensive stand such as is used in Boston. We feel certain that if Chief Burke should make a recommendation for a traffic tower, badly needed at Nonantum Square, in his budget recommendations for the coming years, the Aldermen will grant it.

For seventeen years we experienced the "joys" of the Christmas season as an employee of the Newton Postoffice. Said "joys" included at least one week of intensive work, starting at 6 or 6.30 A. M., and concluding each night at hours varying from 9 to 11.30. When Christmas Day arrived, we postoffice clerks would be so fagged out that we would not have enough vitality left to enjoy a Christmas Dinner. And, for most of the years we had to work most of Christmas Day. The well intended greetings given us by many patrons of the office, "I wish you a Merry Christmas," sounded ironical to us. The Christmas season is not a merry one for postal employees. It is a nerve trying ordeal for many of them. Perhaps if some of the persons who chaff at waiting in line in postoffices during the Christmas rush, had the experience of working in a postoffice during this busy season, they would become less irritated over not being waited upon without delay.

THE WATER SITUATION

To the Editor:

Space in your widely-read journal of our affairs must be quite insufficient for adequate reproduction of the many letters of protest or advice you receive on our local water situation. It is with some temerity, therefore, that I venture to suggest you give space for this appeal to reason, since on this vital public matter so much has been said that is utterly frivolous and beside the point.

It is time I think to take the matter seriously and make only constructive suggestions. It is time, as I see it, for the Mayor to appoint a large citizens' committee to co-laborate with chairman Bail in his entirely sincere and laudable efforts to get at the bottom of this whole water matter. He was made chairman for obvious reasons and is an excellent man for the job. In case His Honor needs suggestions of names which are also those of citizens well equipped for service on such a committee as I conceive and for reasons which will be quickly apparent, I suggest:

Dr. Albert I. Mackintosh and Clifford A. Plummer of Newton Highlands.

Dr. Henry Watters and Arthur L. Drown of Newton Centre.

Everett M. Brooks, Edward D. Brine, Rev. D. Brewer Eddy, and Frederick W. Rust of Newtonville.

Harry S. Wells of West Newton.

R. H. Piper and Gifford Le Clear of Waban, and

Frank B. Hopewell, John B. DuPond, Dr. Rebekah Fawcett, and Carl S. Corkum of Newton.

Respectfully submitted,
Y. KNOTT.

IMPORTANT SALE IN NEWTON CENTRE

All of the real estate in Newton Centre Square, known as the Bray properties, built by the late Mellen Bray, who with his sons has done so much for the city by benefactions to the Newton Hospital and the Woman's Club, has just been conveyed by the recent owner, Cora B. Warner, to a corporation established under Massachusetts laws to be known as the Newton Centre Real Estate Co.

The properties consist of the Bray Block, Nos. 81-105 Union street, containing eight stores, large hall, and the manufacturing plant of the Priscilla Sears Co., central heating plant, garage No. 792 Beacon street and 35,400 feet of land; also the apartment house called Bradford Court, Nos. 17-31 Institution avenue, containing nineteen suites, with 22,980 feet of land and a lot on the rear bordering on the B. & A. R. R., of 12,980 square feet.

The entire real estate is assessed for $315,000; $199,000 on the buildings, and $116,000 on the land.

The Newton Trust Co. realizing the advantages of having such important holdings owned and controlled by local interests, in behalf of the tenants to whom the property was first offered and others interested, has been instrumental in forming the trust, to whom the title has passed.

The sale marks the most important step of recent years towards protecting old-established business firms, and stabilizing values in this rapidly growing center of the city. An appraisement of the properties was made by the appraisal department of Lockwood, Greene & Co.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of
Percival A. Evans
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Wilmot R. Evans who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him without giving a surety on his bond, or to some other suitable person, the executrix named in said will having declined to accept the trust.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 24-31-Jan. 7.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the next of kin and all others interested in the estate of
Frank Theodore Goodwin
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, State Street Trust Company the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance the first account of its administration on said estate and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in its hands among the next of kin of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twelfth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by delivering or mailing post-paid a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 24-31-Jan. 7.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of
Gertrude T. Manning
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, Hartley W. Thayer, executor of the will of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell at public auction the whole of a parcel of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts, and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the nineteenth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 31-Jan. 7-14.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of
Charlotte G. Bullard
late of Newton in said County, deceased:

WHEREAS, Edwin B. Ide, the executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and second accounts of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the nineteenth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 31-Jan. 7-14.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Joseph S. Donovan
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Grace E. Donovan, Edward H. Donovan and The First National Bank of Boston who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 31-Jan. 7-14.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of **Elizabeth J. Wonderly** late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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Dec. 17-24-31.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscribers have been duly appointed executrices of the will of Charles D. Pickard late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds, and by said Julia Pickard Stoessel, appointing George M. Weed of Concord in said County of Middlesex her agent, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscribers.

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Dec. 31-Jan. 7-14.

Notice is hereby given that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the will of Jacob Weinberg late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Herbert M. Bridey and Margaret R. Bridey, wife of said Herbert M. Bridey, in her right, to the Newton Trust Company, dated the eleventh day of December 1922, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4574, Page 557, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at ten o'clock A. M. on Monday the seventeenth day of January 1927, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage with all improvements thereon described in said mortgage as follows:—

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situate in that part of said Newton called Newton Upper Falls and bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at the northwest corner of Chestnut and Boylston Streets and running northerly by said Chestnut Street one hundred twenty-two (122) feet more or less to land now or formerly of Benjamin Newell; Thence westerly by land of said Newell ninety-nine (99) feet more or less to a passageway; Thence southwesterly by said passageway one hundred twenty-two (122) feet more or less to said Boylston Street; and thence easterly by said Boylston Street to the bound first named; Together with a right at all times in said passageway by teams or otherwise; Excepting from the above-described premises that portion thereof that has been taken by the City of Newton for the widening of said Boylston Street. Being the same premises conveyed to us by Ellen G. Cahill.

The premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments, if any, and to the effect of outstanding tax deeds, or titles, if any there be.

Five hundred dollars ($500) in cash will be required of the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms at the sale.

NEWTON TRUST COMPANY,
Mortgagee.

Dec. 31-Jan. 7-14.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Robert T. Fowler and Alice E. Fowler, wife of said Robert T. Fowler to the Institution for Savings in Roxbury and its Vicinity, dated September 11, 1923, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds Book 4654 page 57, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Monday the twenty-fourth day of January 1927, at three o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situate in Newton and shown as lot "A" on a plan by Walter C. Bates C. E., dated August 8, 1923, to be recorded herewith and bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Beacon Street ninety-one feet. Northwesterly by the junction of Beacon Street and Upland Road by a curved line twenty-two and 80/100 feet. Westerly by Upland Road seventy-five and 33/100 feet. Southerly by lot 'B' on said plan ninety-eight and 25/100 feet and Easterly by lot 'C' on said plan ninety feet. Containing 9140 square feet. Being part of the premises conveyed to Alice E. Fowler by deed dated February 28, 1922 recorded Middlesex South District Deeds Book 4496 page 244. See also Book 4544 page 138. This conveyance is made subject to restrictions of record if any there be.

Said premises will be sold subject to said restrictions if any there be and so far as now in force and applicable and subject to any tax sales, unpaid taxes or other municipal liens or assessments whatsoever.

Terms: Three hundred dollars to be paid in cash or certified check by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms to be stated at the sale.

INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS IN ROXBURY AND VICINITY,
Mortgagee and present holder of said mortgage,
by HENRY WEST, Treasurer.

Boston.
December 22, 1926.
Dec. 24-31-Jan. 7.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Ida Estelle Fernald
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by George H. Fernald who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the sixth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, fourteen days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of December i. the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 17-24-31.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Robert C. Bridgham
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Adelaide L. Bridgham who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 24-31-Jan. 7.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Isaac S. Dillingham late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ISAAC S. DILLINGHAM,
Executor.

Address:
229 Franklin Street,
Boston, Mass.
Dec. 18, 1926.
Dec. 24-31-Jan. 7.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executrix of the will of Edward Cornelius Briggs late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ETHEL McCLURE BRIGGS, Executrix.

(Address)
81 Old Orchard Road,
Chestnut Hill, Mass.
December 15th, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Frank E. Remick late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

WILLIAM F. REMICK, Executor.

(Address)
3 Bradford Court,
Newton Centre, Mass.
December 16, 1926.
Dec. 24-31-Jan. 7.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Bessie McCarthy
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by William P. Mahoney who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, one of the executors therein named, the other having declined to accept the trust without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, fourteen days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this ninth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 17-24-31.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Josephine S. Wyeth
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Walter F. Wyeth who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fifth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 17-24-31.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of
T. Wallace Travis
late of Newton in said County, deceased:

WHEREAS, Ida L. Travis the executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and second accounts of her administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the fourth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten oclock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 17-24-31.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
Lewson Edwin Chase
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Florence Gilman Chase who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fifth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 17-24-31.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of
John B. Brainerd
late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament—and one codicil—of said deceased have been presented to said Court, for Probate, by John B. Brainerd the junior of that name and Old Colony Trust Company who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 24-31-Jan. 7.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Annie W. Cumings late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

HARRY P. BRADFORD, Executor.

(Address)
269 Summer St., Boston, Mass.
Dec. 13, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Louise N. Brown late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ANNA E. BROWN, Admx.

(Address)
128 Lowell Ave.,
Newton, Mass.
Dec. 13th, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John Ryan late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

MAURICE M. JEPSON, Adm.

(Address)
11 Jepson Court,
West Newton, Mass.
November 18, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

SHERIFF'S SALE
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, ss. December 10, A.D. 1926.

Pursuant to a Warrant of Sale to me directed and issued from the Superior Court within and for said county of Middlesex, and dated the fourth day of December, A.D. 1926, I shall sell by public auction, on Wednesday, the twenty-sixth day of January A.D. 1927, at one o'clock, P.M., at my office, 20 Second Street in Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, all the right, title and interest that John J. Smith, Trustee of the Brookline and Newton Realty Company under declaration of trust dated January 21, 1926, recorded in Middlesex County, South District Registry of Deeds, had on the twenty-second day of March, A.D. 1926, that being the time as order in said Warrant of Sale, in and to the following described premises, to wit:—

Land in Newton, Massachusetts, Middlesex County, being Lot A on a plan entitled "Resubdivision of lot 25B" on a plan entitled "Resubdivision of lot 25 on the Towle Estate," July 1925, and lot 26 and a part of lot 27 adjoining on a plan dated March 1926, recorded in Middlesex South District Deeds as filed plan 806, John J. Smith, Engineer, March 23, 1926, duly recorded in said deeds bounded and described as follows: North Easterly by a curved line on Westchester Road as shown on said plan 65 ft. North Westerly by land of owners unknown 113.11 ft. Southerly by land of owners not designated on said plan 9.05 ft. South Westerly by land of owners not designated on said plan 45 ft. South Easterly by lot B as shown on said plan 122 ft. Containing 6810 sq. ft. more or less.

Lot B is more particularly described as follows: Land in Newton, Massachusetts, Middlesex County, being lot B on a plan entitled "Resubdivision of lot 25 B" on a plan entitled "Resubdivision of lot 25" on the Towle Estate July 1925, and March 1926, and a part of lot 27 adjoining on a plan dated March 1926, recorded with Middlesex South Registry of Deeds as filed plan 806, John J. Smith, Engineer, March 23, 1926, and duly recorded in said deeds, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by a curved line on Westchester Road as shown on said plan 65 ft. North Westerly by lot A as shown on said plan 122 ft. South Westerly by two lots measuring 55 ft. South Easterly by another lot marked "Remainder of lot No. 27 as shown on said plan 115 ft. Containing 7138 sq. ft. more or less.

Lot 92 is more particular described as follows: Lot 92 on a plan of land in Newton, Massachusetts, recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds as filed plan 806, and bounded and described as follows: South Westerly by Westchester Road having a curved line as shown on said plan 103.06 ft. Westerly by lot 79 on said plan 46.67 ft. Northerly by lots 80 and 81 on said plan 150.33 ft. Easterly and South Easterly by lot 91 on said plan 123.36 ft. Containing 9180 sq. ft.

HERBERT C. BLACKMER,
Deputy Sheriff.

Dec. 24-31-Jan. 7.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Carl I. Stevens to Roscoe L. Davidson, dated April 5, 1926 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 4963, page 22, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on MONDAY the tenth day of January A.D. 1927 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage, with all improvements thereon, and described in said mortgage as follows, viz:—

"A certain parcel of land containing 6890 square feet with the buildings thereon situated on the Southeasterly side of Chapin Road in that part of Newton in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts called Newton Centre, being shown as Lot 28 on Barnes & Beal's plan dated July 1925, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Plan Book 372, plan 8, and said parcel is bounded and described as follows, to wit:—

NORTHWESTERLY by Chapin Road as shown on said plan, sixty-three and 90/100 (63.90) feet;
NORTHEASTERLY by Lot 29 as shown on said plan, one hundred twelve and 57/100 (112.57) feet;
SOUTHEASTERLY by land marked on said plan "Cochituate Aqueduct" sixty-four (64) feet; and
SOUTHWESTERLY by Lot 27 as shown on said plan, one hundred and 32/100 (100.32) feet; together with rights of way in said Chapin Road in common with others entitled thereto.

Being the same premises conveyed to me by W. Mark Noble Jr. by deed dated April 5, 1926, delivered and recorded herewith, and they are conveyed subject to the restrictions thereon noted or referred to and also to the rights, easements, and restrictions referred to in deed recorded with said Deeds, Book 4837, page 39."

The premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes, municipal liens and assessments, if any there be.

$500 cash will be required of the purchaser at time and place of sale. Other terms announced at sale.

ROSCOE L. DAVIDSON, Mortgagee.
F. L. Peirce, Attorney,
73 Tremont Street,
Boston, Mass.
December 14, 1926.
Dec. 17-24-31.

SHERIFF'S SALE
Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, ss. December 2, A.D. 1926.

Taken on execution and will be sold by public auction, on Wednesday, the twelfth day of January A.D. 1927, at one o'clock P.M., at my office, 20 Second Street in Cambridge in said county of Middlesex, all the right, title and interest that ANDREW J. McNEILL of Boston in the County of Suffolk, had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the fourteenth day of October A.D. 1926, at three o'clock and forty-five minutes P.M., being the time when the same was attached on mesne process, in and to the following described real estate, to wit:—

A certain parcel of land with the dwelling house and garage thereon, situated on the northeasterly side of Woodland Road in that part of Newton called Auburndale, in Middlesex County, Massachusetts, and shown as Lot 1 on a plan entitled "Subdivision of Land in Newton, Massachusetts, owned and eveloped by Fred Holland Chamberlin, made by Barnes and Beal, Engineers, dated January 1925, and recorded in Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Plan Book 348, Plan 110, and bounded and described as follows:—

Southwesterly on said Woodland Road, eighty (80) feet; Northwesterly on land now or late of Young, ninety and 91/100 (90.91) feet; Northeasterly by lot 8 shown on said plan, sixty-seven and 18/100 (67.18) feet; Southeasterly by Lot 2 shown on said plan, ninety (90) feet. Containing sixty-six hunding to said plan, twenty-three (6623) square feet according to said plan.

HERBERT C. BLACKMER,
Deputy Sheriff.

December 17-24-31.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of
Amos F. Adams
late of Newton in said County of Middlesex, deceased.

WHEREAS, Merrill K. Green, Jesse P. Lyman and Amos L. Taylor, trustees under the Will of said deceased have presented to said Court, their petition praying for authority to adjust by compromise a demand held by them as such trustees against the South Canon Coal Company.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twelfth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you fourteen days, at least

FOR SALE

CEMETERY LOT FOR SALE

A burial lot in Newton Cemetery on Syringa path. Perpetual care. Address Philip Richardson, Room 536, 195 Broadway, New York City.

FOR SALE—Fancy nail mirror, 6 by 9 chenille rug, leather couch, 2 oak chairs, leather seats, pair snow skiis, square walnut table, full size brass bed. Tel. N. N. 5140. 1t

FOR SALE—Child's crib, hair mattress, $9.00. Baby's wardrobe, $5.00. Tel. Newton North 4229-W. 1t

FOR SALE—Fireplace maple and oak, dry wood, any length. S. A. White, Newton North 0679-W. tf

SAND YOUR WALKS and save your bones. Sand $1.25 a bbl. Loam, manure, shrubs and crushed stone for sale. Trucks for hire by day or hour. Tel. Newton North 4915. M. Kelly & Sons, 657 Washington street, Newtonville. tf

LOST and FOUND

LOST—In Newton, yellow and white bob tail cat. Monday afternoon. Tel. Centre Newton 1139-W. Reward 1t

LOST—On Christmas morning, a German shepherd dog, long haired, one year old, yellow with black showing through. Reward. Tel. N. N. 4226-J. 1t

LOST by working girl, Thursday, December 23rd, pair of tortoise shell glasses, on Framingham car, going to Newton or around Newton Corner. Finder please call Centre Newton 2965. 1t

FOUND—Eye glasses on Watertown street, West Newton, about Dec. 15. See Mr. Cunniff at West Newton Postoffice or call West Newton 1750. 1t

LOST—A silver bracelet with green onyx somewhere between Newton Centre and Brae Burn Club. 123 Langley road, Newton Centre. 1t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

Henry J. Fitzpatrick

late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Eugene F. McCarthy of Newton in said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing post paid a copy of this citation to the next of kin of said deceased, addressed to the last known post office address of each, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 31—Jan. 7-14.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the will of Abbott B. Rice late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds, and appointing Willard W. Rice whose address is 106 Sumner St., Newton Center, Mass., agent for Adams T. Rice, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscribers.

ADAMS T. RICE,
LUTHER W. BRIDGES,
Executors.

(Address)
106 Sumner St.,
Newton Center, Mass.
273 Union Ave.,
Framingham, Mass.
December 10, 1926.
Dec. 31-Jan. 7-14.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

Nora M. Fitzpatrick

late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Eugene F. McCarthy of Newton in said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing post paid a copy of this citation to the next of kin of said deceased, addressed to the last known post office address of each, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

Dec. 31-Jan. 7-14.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of

Margaret Whalen

late of Newton in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by John William Whalen who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fourth day of January A.D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, **John C. Leggat, Esquire,** First Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

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TO LET

TO LET—Newtonville, large front room, two closets, on bathroom floor, other desirable rooms, heat, electric lights, hardwood floors. (Board optional.) Near trains and trolleys. Also single garage. Apply to 107 Central avenue, or Phone Newton North 5571-W. 1t

TO LET—Well furnished double rooms on bath floor, running water in rooms. 45 Waban street, corner Jewett, Newton Corner. 2t

TO LET—American family has one large furnished room and kitchenette. Heat, light, water. gas, bath. Near everything. Fine home for working girl. $5 week covers all. 26 Boylston road, Newton Highlands, evenings. 2t

NEWTON HIGHLANDS—Sunny room, privileges, $4.50 per week, 21 Woodward street. Centre Newton 1949-W. 1t

TO LET—In Auburndale, two or three unfurnished, heated rooms for light housekeeping. Convenient to trains and electrics. Telephone West Newton 2304-M. 1t

TO LET—2 pleasant rooms on bath room floor, steam heat, also 2 cozy rooms on third floor, with steam heat, nice location, convenient to trains and trolleys. 507 Centre street, Newton. Tel. N. N. 2017-R. 1t

TO LET—New, upper apartment, 7 rooms with sun parlor and breakfast room, steam heat, all modern improvements, garage, very convenient to cars, trains and stores. Reasonable rent. 220 Tremont street, Newton, Mass. 2t

NEWTONVILLE, Sunny, warm room convenient to everything, board for two if desired. Private home. 55 Highland avenue. 1t

TO LET—Two rooms on bath room floor suitable for housekeeping. 27 Richardson St., Newton. 1t

TO LET—5 rooms and bath, oak floors, all new, gas kitchen, breakfast nook, den, steam heat, ready now. Tel. 1780-R West Newton. (Rent reasonable.) 1t

ROOMS—furnished or unfurnished, kitchen privileges, private family, ten minutes from Newton Corner. Call Mr. Cleveland, N. N. 4010. 1t

TO LET—Two rooms, furnished or unfurnished, with private bath. Handy to trains and cars. Excellent neighborhood. N. N. 0141-R.

TO LET—One large furnished room, in private family, with heat, electric lights, and sun all day. On bath room floor, telephone privileges, six minutes to Newton Depot or Newton Corner. Tel. Newton North 5170.

TO LET—Furnished room in private family, convenient to Newton Corner. No other roomers. Tel. Newton North 4543-M. 1t

TO LET — Five rooms and bath. Furnace, electricity, gas water heater in kitchen. Polished floors all done over in modern condition. 143 Charlesbank Rd., two minutes to Newton Corner. 1t

TO LET—Heated individual garages. Hollian, 7 Park St., Newton. tf

TO LET—One furnished room, extra warm, light housekeeping privileges if desired. Tel. Newton North 0709-M. tf

TO LET—In Auburndale, pleasant furnished or unfurnished room, kitchen, laundry and telephone privileges. Tel. West Newton 0425. tf

TO LET—Furnished room and kitchenette apartment convenient to trains and electrics. Apply, 15 Austin street, Newtonville. Tel. Newton North 2573-W. tf.

ROOM—For Rent—to woman only. Nicely furnished, pleasant room in private home, conveniently located on Commonwealth Ave., Auburndale. References exchanged. Tel. West Newton 0894-J. tf

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NEWTON SPORTS

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Hebron he was a leading light in the way of athletics playing in three sports.

In Bowdoin College one could almost muster a complete track team in itself with all the members hailing from Newton proper. In the weight events there is Bob Adams, the best javelin thrower and discus man in college, who is ably assisted by Abbott Spear of Newton Centre, with Joe Kohler able to lend his hand in making these events sure. In the hammer throw Harry Thayer, formerly of Waban had a record of 155 feet in the 12 pound hammer last year while at Hebron, and should be capable of nearly that in the college class. For dash men there are Harold Rising, Alan Shaw, and Abbott Speare. Rising, a gradute of Exeter, is a fast middle distance runner whose stride and stamina has made him known as a runner of repute. Shaw has just blossomed out as a sprinter and has recently made rapid progress in the short distance runs, while Speare is a veteran at the 300 yard dash and has experience in the longer distance events.

On the Bowdoin hockey team there is the now usual Orange and Black touch for there are four former Newtonians on the team. The brothers, Dick and Harry Thayer are out for the wing positions, Dick has been a veteran for two seasons, while his brother, although a freshman, has had a deal of experience in playing for Hebron Academy. Stuart Stone after two seasons at Newton under Doctor Martin when he played defense on two of the greatest sextets that the school has turned out, spent a year at Williston where he was the same power on the offense that he had been formerly. Tubby Howland, at one time an All-Scholastic goal-guard, had his position securely fastened down until he drew some notices from the faculty which sounded the warning for more work along studying lines before he could enjoy his favorite sport.

COMMUNITY THEATRE

Golf—how not to play it. Eddie Cantor gives several graphic examples which would fit under this title in his first motion picture, "Kid Boots" which comes to the Community, Newton, for four days starting Sunday night, January 2.

"The Marriage Clause," a story of the all powered Force that united two souls in harmony. A wonderful picture directed by the only woman director in motion pictures, Lois Weber. Starring Francis X. Bushman and Grace Darmond.

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday, "The Popular Sin," a comedy drama of marriage and divorce laid against a background of Parisian stage and society life.

With this great comedy the theatre is offering, the greatest football picture ever screened, starring the only man in motion pictures who ever played in college football before going into pictures, namely George Walsh, in the "Kick Off."

FIRE RECORD

Saturday afternoon a telephone call brought the firemen to the home of H. M. Camp, 934 Beacon street, Newton Centre, where a fire had started on the roof. It was extinguished before much damage resulted. Another still alarm on Christmas Day was for a fire in the residence of M. J. Maguire, 194 Beacon street, Chestnut Hill, caused by a candle setting fire to a curtain. Considerable damage was done to the furniture in the room where the blaze occurred.

WABAN MAN FOUND DEAD

Michael Cummings, 73, of 37 Troy lane, was found dead Wednesday in his home by Bernard O'Donell, a letter carrier at the Waban postoffice, who had called there to deliver mail. The aged man did not respond to O'Donell's repeated knocks, and the latter, suspecting that something was wrong, entered the house and found Mr. Cummings dead. The deceased had resided in Waban for nearly half a century, and was well known to many residents of the village. His wife died about 15 years ago, and he lived alone. He had no children. His funeral was held this morning from Sacred Heart Church, Newton Centre.

FULLER GARAGE PUMPS ILLEGALLY USED

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sumed the public would not be allowed to use it unless for the benefit of Mr. Ross' client. He advised Mr. Ross to "get together with the City officials and fix the matter up. If not, he opined that trouble would result. Mr. Ross replied "My opinion is that the proper place would have been for the Board of Aldermen to have informed us of a hearing, and given us a hearing before the Board to determine whether or not our permit has not been lived up to."

Ex-Alderman Lloyd told of the conferences held between himself and Judge Weston regarding the conditions which were agreed upon before the garage permit had been granted. Judge Weston, who was called upon by Mr. Ross, when he happened to enter the room where the hearing was being held, confirmed what Mr. Lloyd had sadi. He testified, "I did not ask for outside pumps; our only intention was to get inside pumps, and I told the Fuller Garage people at that time "if we asked for outside pumps we might not get anything at all." Judge Brown told Mr. Ross that if he would agree to have the outside pumps removed and the low wall built, no complaint would be issued. Mr. Ross would not agree to this, so the Judge authorized the issuance of the complaint.

The complaint having been issued, Mr. Wilcutt appeared in court on December 23rd. He was defended by Mr. Ross. An imposing array of city officials had been called into court by Chief Burke. Included among them were City Clerk Grant, Assessors Henry Baily and John W. Murphy, Judge Weston, ex-Alderman Lloyd, Chief Randlett, Assistant Chief George Stacy, Engineer Leonard, and Probation Officer Enegess. Chief Burke called on Mr. Grant to testify as to the issuance of the permit for the erection of the Fuller Garage. Mr. Ross objected to the matter of the garage being discussed, as the complaint dealt with the illegal sale of gasoline. He contended that his client has the right to erect the pumps outside the building as no restriction had been placed on the location of pumps when the permit was granted, and as pumps are not structures, no special permits are necessary for them.

Chief Randlett testified that he had given Mr. Ross permission to have the gasoline storage tanks at the Fuller Garage changed. He also had given him verbal permission to have two pumps placed outside the building, but when he subsequently learned that the aldermen had previously refused outside pump locations at this garage, he had revoked his approval of the outside locations and had told Mr. Ross not to have any pumps erected there. Nevertheless, the pumps were erected. Judge Weston did not testify, as the court ruled, after objection by Mr. Ross, that his testimony would not be relevant. For this same reason, Mr. Lloyd also did not testify. M. J. Enegess, Probation Officer, told of seeing gasoline sold to various parties, including Mr. Ross, from the outside pumps. Mr. Ross asked him, "Did you see me paying any money for the gasoline?" Mr. Enegess acknowledged "that he had not observed Mr. Ross giving any cash for the inflammable liquid.

Judge Frost in summing up the case said, "The question comes down to the interpretation of the statute 'No building or other structure shall be used for the sale of gasoline except by permit of the Selectmen or Aldermen.' Pumps are used for the handling and sale of gasoline. The fact that application for location of the pumps was made, shows something having been in the mind of the defendant that a location was sought. The pumps were built without a permit from the Fire Chief or without any permit. I find that no permits were issued for their erection or use. A pump, when used in connection with a building, is a structure. I find the defendant guilty of using a structure without a license. I do not find him guilty of erecting the two pumps without a permit. The statute does not cover the erection; it covers the use."

The progress of this case in the Superiod Court will be wacthed with interest, not alone by Newton city officials, but by lawyers and public officials all over the state. Legislation regulating garages and gasoline filling stations is in the making. Much doubt exists as to the scope of the authority which public officials have over them.

GIRL SCOUTS

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In Newtonville Florence Hills is chairman of Housing with Mrs. Charles Trowbridge advisor, and Louise Kimball, Eleanor Brown, Martha Olcott, Betty Barber and Alice Collins to assist while Emily Dunleavey has charge of Transportation. The Newton Centre chairman for the Housing Committee is Elizabeth Walworth and Mrs. Charles A. Riley as advisor, and of Transportation, Armada Lamont. Janice Upham has charge of Housing in Waban as well as being the Chairman for the City with Mrs. Douglass as her advisor. Marion Frost and Mrs. Warren have charge of transportation. The Housing Committee in West Newton is Eleanor Bingham, chairman with Mrs. Norman Bingham, Advisor, Alice Batson, Eleanor Jack, Mary Kibbe and Barbara Eaton. Elsa Brandt has charge of transportation with Mrs. Walton S. Redfield, advisor, Mary Zeigler, Mary Alice Eaton and Priscilla Bacon. The Upper Falls Committees are, Housing, Marion Bridey Chairman, Miss Margaret Gould advisor, Catherine Murphy, Marie MacLaughlin, Anne Kenefick. Transportation, Dorothy Wright, chairman, Miss Mildred Ryder advisor. Miss Elizabeth Henrich is chairman of the Auburndale Housing Committee with Mrs. H. H. Longfellow as her advisor and Dorothy Clark and Dorothy Nichols are on the committee. Mary Miller has charge of Transportation. The Newton Highlands committee consists of Catherine Carrick head of Housing with Mrs. Lawson Oakes as advisor, Virginia Weed, Elizabeth Skelton and Katherine Thompson and Transportation, Barbara Nichols, chairman. The luncheon committee is headed by Eleanor Burnham of Waban as chairman with Mrs. Marguerite Mosser as advisor. This committee is made up of one girl from each of the Senior Troops, and these girls will each ask five scouts to assist in waiting on table and in clearing up after the luncheon. Ruth Lapham has charge of publicity with Jane McGreggor, Judith Andress, Barbara Randlett and Constance Wright on her committee. Nearly 125 girl scouts are working hard right here in Newton to make this Conference a great success. The other committees, program, registration, recreation and social are made up of girls from other sections who will be entertained by Newton during the conference.

On Thursday, December 30th, the Girl Scout Officers' Association gave a party at the Unitarian Church in West Newton for former scouts who are now away at college or occupying professional or business positions. The question of scout clubs at colleges was discussed, and a number of games were played, followed by refreshments. On this occasion the officers were fortunate in having Mrs. Frank A. Day, the Newton Commissioner, speak to them for a few minutes.

NEW ENGLAND PEABODY HOME

At the Christmas Celebration at the New England Peabody Home for Crippled Children the following poem was read by its author, Louise Guaraldi. She has been in the Home for eight years, since she was seven years of age. She is just now learning to walk, and her pencil is held with the grasp of her entire hand instead of with the fingers alone. She goes to school in the Home and is rated in the sixth grade. With determination to conquer all difficulties Miss Guaraldi contributed to the pleasure of the Home at Christmas by this poem, and it was also read on Dec. 26 at the religious service held in the Home by the Hale Union of the Newton Centre Unitarian Church. The Hale Union and the Rev. G. L. Parker were so impressed by the poem and Miss Guaraldi's reading of it from her wheelchair that they felt that Newton Graphic readers should share it. Miss Guaraldi is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Guaraldi of 248 Mountain avenue, Revere.

The First Christmas

Once in a stable years ago,
In a humble manger low,
A little babe was forced to lay
His holy head upon the hay.

And Mary was his mother.
She was so meek and mild,
She knew that God had blessed her
With a sweet and gentle child.

Shepherds in the meadow,
Watching their flocks by night.
Saw in the heavens above them
A star that was shining bright.

So they arose and followed it
To see where it led.
They saw it stop above
That bright and holy shed.

They went inside the stable
And bent upon their knee,
And said to Jesus, lying there,
"We've come to worship Thee."

Louise Guaraldi.

BOWDOIN SQ. THEATRE

Another of those entertaining and fascinating programs which combines vaudeville and pictures of the highest type will hold forth at the Bowdoin Sq. theatre beginning Monday. What is termed the romantic picture sensation of the year, "The Temptress," a Metro-Goldwyn production will delight, thrill and satisfy in good measure.

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—Mr. Carleton Person of Hollis street spent Christmas with relatives in Saratoga, N. Y.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Fuller of Springfield spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Fuller of Washington street.

—Mr. Otto Zeibell of Philadelphia spent the week end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elliston Bell of Waverley avenue.

—Mrs. Alfred Allen and Alfred Allen, Jr., have returned from a visit with Mrs. Allen's sister at North Leeds, Maine.

—The annual dinner and meeting of the Eliot Church will be Thursday evening, January 13th, in the Chapel. Dinner at 6.30.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Guthrie of Manchester, Mass., spent the holidays with Mr. Guthrie's sister, Mrs. Arthur Hudson of Washington street.

—Mr. Vincent Daiger and Mr. Gerald Daiger of New York were the guests of Mr. Charles V. Daiger of Grasmere street for the Christmas holidays.

—Mr. and Mrs. Eliot R. Barker, Jr., (Muriel Peterson) of Lincoln, N. H., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Charles Peterson Barker.

—The many friends of Rev. H. E. Beckwith, formerly assistant pastor of Eliot Church, will be sorry to learn of his serious illness at his Cambridge home.

—Miss Hope Hodder of Kenrick street entertained at dinner last week before the dance given for Miss Nancy Howard and Miss Elizabeth Swett at the Charles River Country Club.

—Dr. Warren E. Blake, formerly of 38 Carleton street, now of Ann Arbor, Michigan, has been attending the American Philological Association Convention at Harvard, reading a paper before that body and has been visiting friends in Newton.

—Miss Marjorie Banton, formerly of Waban, now of Newton, entertained at bridge, Tuesday, December 28, in honor of her house guests, Miss Margaret S. Jackman of Concord, N. H., Miss Enid B. Pulcifer of Brookyln, N. Y., and Miss Miriam I. Forster of Smith College

—A beautiful Christmas pageant is to be given at Grace Church on the evening of Sunday, January 2nd, at 7.30. A number of the young people of the church and of the choir are to take the parts, and it will be under the direction of Miss Katharine White and the Rev. Mr. Dallinger.

—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stoughton Drake of Bennington street, Newton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Laura, to John Dean Langmuir of Hastings-on-Hudson, New York. Miss Drake, a graduate of Choate School, Brookline, and of Dana Hall, Wellesley, is now a senior at Connecticut College, New London, Connecticut. Mr. Langmuir graduated from Williams College in 1923, from Harvard Business School in 1925, and is now with Proctor and Gamble at New York City.

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—Webster Wiggin of Marlboro street spent the week end in Woodville, N. H.

—Jack Gibson of Bennington street has returned from New Haven where he went for a house party over the holidays.

—Miss Dorothy Fernald of Elmhurst road entertained at bridge Wednesday afternoon for her guest, Miss May Kenyon of Sharon, Mass.

—Miss Lois Cone and Miss Margaret Bascom entertained at bridge Wednesday afternoon at the home of Miss Cone on Linder Terrace.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tolman and son of Connecticut were the guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tolman of Washington street.

—Mr. Fred Hubbard of Boyd street, returned last week for the Christmas holidays from Patterson, New Jersey, where he is a teacher in the public schools.

—The College Young People of Eliot Church enjoyed a sleighing party Monday evening. They were the guests of the Young People's department of the Church School.

—An automobile owned by Charles Turner, 110 Jewett street, was stolen from in front of that address Saturday. It was later found on Hyde avenue, badly damaged.

—Mr. and Mrs. Philip Shriberg of West street have announced the engagement of their son, William Shriberg to Miss Janet Levine of Brockton. A reception was held at the Shriberg home Sunday in honor of Miss Levine.

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—Miss Lena Nixon of Park street, is spending her vacation with her mother in Portland, Maine.

—Mrs. Jennie Sperry of Park St., has returned from a month's stay with relatives in Hartford, Conn.

—Mr. Harry G. Dennison of Worcester, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Edgar M. Horne of Maple avenue.

—Mr. Converse of Detroit, spent the week-end with his daughter, Mrs. John Patterson of Converse avenue.

—Mrs. Henrietta Gardner of Truro, Mass., spent the week end with Mrs. Willard Sampson of Orchard street.

—Mrs. Henry C. Hardon of Copley street, will receive her friends in a quiet way on January 1, her ninety-first birthday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grant and family of Hartford, Conn., spent the week end with Miss Annie Marshman of Park street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Meylert Bruner of Waverley avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Anne Bruner to Mr. Mark Upson of Boston and formerly of Cincinnati, Ohio.

—Mr. and Mrs. Channing Harwood and family of Middletown, Connecticut, were guests of Mr. Harwood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Harwood of Willard street, over the holiday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Barker (Muriel Peterson) of Lincoln, N. H., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son. Mrs. Barker is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Peterson of Hibbard road.

—Among the members of the Tozier party enjoying winter sports this week at Quebec are Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hopewell, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Hopewell, Mrs. Donald Holbrook, Mr. John C. Hopewell, and Mr. and Mrs. Dudley G. Lester.

—Miss Elizabeth Hahn of Nonantum Place, left Monday to take a position as Instructor in the Art Department of the University of Chicago. Miss Hahn is a graduate of Radcliffe, Simmons, and the School of Art at the Boston Museum of Fine Arts.

—The Channing Guild will hold their Twelfth Night Revels at Channing Parish House on January 6th, at 8 o'clock. A court of Misrule will be in power for the evening. There will be a varied entertainment followed by dancing. All are urged to come in costume.

—Edward L. Douglas of 120 Church street died last Sunday. He was born in Toronto 56 years ago and had resided in Newton for five years. His funeral was held Monday and burial was in Evergreen Cemetery, Brighton.

POLICE NEWS

Anthony De Grosso of Hawthorn street, Newton, was fined $50 in court Tuesday morning for lighting a fire in the open without a permit. Anthony started a fire near the Newton Cemetery to burn the insulation off some copper wire, unfortunately for him, the place on the snow he picked out to start his fire, was over a bed of valuable plants and someone telephoned the police. Patrolman Dan McLaughlin responded and arrested the surprised DeGrosso.

Joseph Connelly, 23 Gerard court, West Newton, was in court Tuesday morning charged with violation of probation.

Albert Harlow of Charles River Village was arrested Tuesday night at Newton Centre by Patrolman Mullen after his car had been badly damaged in a collision.

in court Wednesday morning charged with driving while under the influence of liquor, and with driving so as to endanger the lives and safety of the public. His case was continued to January 6.

John J. Mahoney of Waltham was arrested Monday charged with driving "wutiol." He will be tried January 5th.

Salvatore Campisi of 26 Auburndale avenue was in court yesterday morning charged with the larceny of a gun from Mr. Chin Mon Shew of 1385 Washington street, West Newton. Chin, who conducts a laundry, accused Campisi of purloining his shooting iron. The case was continued to January 4th and Salvatore was ordered to make restitution . So, if the gun is returned, Shew will be satisfied.

Eugene L. Castor, 17, of 313 Huntington avenue, Boston, was in court Tuesday charged with larceny. He had formerly been an authorized solicitor for a well known magazine, and after severing connections with it, continued to solicit subscriptions. His arrest followed complaints from persons who had paid money but had received no copies of the magazine. Judge Weston gave him a suspended sentence of six months in jail.

Sin Shelters in Darkness.

Only the worm of conscience consorts with the owl. Sinners and evil spirits shun the light.—Schiller.

Waban

—Paul Brown of Windsor road spent the past week in Philadelphia.

—Saville Davis is home from Williams College for the holidays.

—A Senior Dance will be given on New Year's Eve at the Neighborhood Club.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Soule are spending the Christmas holidays in New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. William C. Holbrook spent the Christmas week end at East Jaffrey, N. H.

—Mr. James Seaver of Winetaska road has as his guest his father, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

—Miss Virginia Reynolds of Kelveden road entertained at bridge on Wednesday of this week.

—"The Nativity," a pageant, was given at the Church of the Good Shepherd last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Austin G. Bourne had, as holiday guests, cousins from Worcester and Saugus.

—Archie Burnett of Cornell is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Burnett of Waban avenue.

—Miss Sylvia Dow has come from Chicago University to the home of his parents on Plainfield street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Ziegler and family spent Christmas in New Haven as the guests of relatives.

—The engagement of Miss Virginia Conway was announced at a dance given at the Hotel Somerset last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nelson P. Trickey had a dinner party before the New Year's Dance at Brae-Burn last evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Boggs of Wamesit road returned on Wednesday from a trip to England and the Continent.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Slade of Naugatuck, Conn., have been spending the holiday season with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Andrews.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ira S. Roe and children spent Christmas at Port Henry, N. Y., where they were guests of Mrs. Roe's sister.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry N. Matthews entertained at dinner at the Brae Burn Club last night preceding the New Year's Eve Dance.

—Miss Phyllis Cotton, formerly of Beacon street entertained a number of her former Waban friends at bridge on Monday evening.

—William North of Nehoiden road went to Lake Placid, N. Y., on Tuesday as a member of the Dartmouth Winter Sports Team.

—Governor Fuller has reappointed Hon. Sanford Bates of Roslyn road as commissioner of correction for the state of Massachusetts.

—Miss Marjorie Dow, a senior at Smith College is again with her family for the holidays, after her last year's sojourn in Paris.

—Mrs. Wellington Rindge of Beacon street gave a tea yesterday in honor of Mrs. Andrew B. Sides, who has recently moved to Waban.

—John S. White, Jr., of Waban avenue is slowly recovering from an injury to his knee, obtained in a football game several months ago.

—Dr. and Mrs. Walter A. Hosley and daughters, Miss Eleanor and Miss Ruth Hosley have been spending the past week at Waterville, N. H.

—Edward Darling, who is a sophomore at Dartmouth is spending the vacation at the home of his father, Dr. Charles B. Darling on Roslyn road.

—Mr. Champane gave a Christmas party for his various dancing classes on Friday last. There was a Christmas tree and refreshments were served.

—Among the Waban girls who have come home from Wellesley for the holidays are Eleanor Hosley, Katharine Tilton, Florence Sawyer and Dorothy Boggs.

—Mr. John M. Walker of the Cloverdale Store thanks the people of Waban for their patronage and extends cordial greetings for the New Year—advertisement.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frederick G. Marsh and their two sons, Robert and James, have gone to Machias, Maine, to spend the holidays with Mrs. Marsh's mother, Mrs. James Bailey.

—Miss Katherine Oakes, who is a teacher of English at Connecticut College is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Oakes of Upland road.

—Wednesday evening a dance for Juniors was held in the Neighborhood Club. Miss Hortense Lane, Miss Mildred Marr, Malcolm Hill and Henry Johnson served on the committee.

—Mrs. Kate Estes of Fort Fairfield, Maine, and her two daughters have been visiting Miss Emma Brown of Waban avenue this past week. Mrs. Estes is to stay on for another week.

CITY HALL

The city government of 1927 will be inaugurated tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock.

A good New Year's resolution, subscribe for the GRAPHIC.

NEWS FROM THE COLLEGES

By Harold P. Carver, N. H. S. '26

On the 30th day of December at the Boston City Club there was a gathering of unusual interest to many of the boys of Newton, for Camp Passaconaway assembled, some one hundred strong, to celebrate a reunion of olden times passed by the shores of Lake Winnepesaukee. Under the careful planning of Mr. Richmond and Mr. Dickinson of the High School who have been the directors of the camp for 17 seasons, the meeting was a success from the dinner down to the final number on a varied program.

Entering into the portals of this sacred club—sacred to the memory of Bigger and Better Business in Boston—we doffed our hats and overcoats; then repaired to the fourth floor where the assembly was to be held. Here the directors were on hand to greet the new arrivals and to pass the time before the meal was served. Behind them were lined up in a scattered array the many counsellors who have passed the summers at camp. The boys stopped here and the beginning of a pleasant social hour was in progress. In one part are the boys down from Williams, Bill Phelps, his brother, Charlie, and Jimmy Hoyt. The first two had charge of the swimming at camp last year, while the latter two were the directors of the tennis court. Hoyt, in particular, did a great deal for the more finished players, while Charlie was able to get the younger boys interested in the latent possibilities of the sport. In another group are Stuart Stone, Bill Draper, Art Shute, and Nason West. All have been at the camp for some time and are favorites with the boys. The meal is served and under the direction of Donald L. Houghton the boys drift into the main room and grouping themselves according to their wishes they await the announcement from the head table where the directors and the toast master, none other than Stanley Lyons of Dartmouth fame, whose ability to preside at such events has made him most popular with the campers. The courses took their appointed way, while in between the group sang the many college songs that they had learned up in New Hampshire, being led by the song leader, Don Houghton.

After the courses had been cleared away, Stan Lyon introduced the only speaker of the afterenoon, Mr. W. E. Richmond, one of the directors. Speaking briefly, and with an evident desire to interest both the older and the younger members, he recounted the many sides of Camp and its advantages. Then the amusement part of the program was opened up with Jake Stafford performing. Jake is an old camp boy, and always is eager to return to help entertain the new campers of the recent years. His magic as usual was mystifying, as Billy Hayden, and the Hoey brothers will admit. From card tricks up to fancy affairs especially imported from China for the occasion, if we are to believe Jake, he went, always mixing in with his efforts a happy chatter that kept the spirit of the audience with him. When he finally closed his bag and departed there were many sighs and even a few wails that he was leaving so suddenly.

Because of the failure of the motion picture operator to be there on time the last part of the festivities was moved up to take its place. This consisted of the organization known as the Tonic Trio whose duties were along the lines of entertaining the campers on Saturday nights at Bear Island with parodies and songs that the boys could sing. The idea originated with Don Houghton and was put on as a radio concert act, later it became so popular that it had to be incorporated into the shows every Saturday evening. The three men who took the roles of Birch Beer, Sarsasparilla, and Bluebird are Walter Chadwick, his brother, Howard, and Duncan Howlett, accompanied by Graham McNamee Houghton on the microphone with various reports on the activities of camp members via telegram. The offerings went over extremely well with the assemblage chiming in on many of the well-known verses, while the usual number of jokes were pulled off on the counsellors and the older boys. Bunny Bryant, Charley Phelps, Howlett, Walter Chadwick, and other received messages from more or less authentic persons.

The last feature on the entertainment list was that of seeing oneself be a moving picture star, for there were many pictures of the camp activities shown on the screen. Starting with Sunday drill, and inspection the film ran the gamut through golfing, baseball, group games on the ball field, canoeing, to swimming, with all its thrills which had a few added by the remarkable manner in which the boys dove out of the water, landing erect on the pier, a mystery soon solved when one realized that the film was being run backwards. The swimming tests under the auspices of the American Red Cross was also put on the screen, as well as the canoe tip-overs, an exciting race that only the accomplished swimmers can participate in. There then followed an educational picture, and the meeting broke up after watching Charlie Chaplin stagger through some of his original antics. Many fathers were in evidence, and many of last year's campers returned to talk over old times, and to meet former initiates into the tribe of Passaconaway. Just before parting for another six months all stood at attention and sang the Camp song, a matter of not little emotional power when one recalls all the happy hours spent along the shore lines of Bear Island. The plans for next year are progressing in fine style, and from all indications practically the same group of counsellors will be there again.

From Brunswick, Maine, comes two interesting bits of news for Newton readers. Robert C. Adams of the class of 1925 at the High School has recently been elected vice-president of the sophomore class at Bowdoin. He formerly was the president of his class at Newton and was a famous athlete while there. The other gleaning is that of the election of F. Hamilton Oakes to the presidency of the White Key, one of the highest honors in the college. This organization, as the other groups that go by the same name, has complete charge of the visiting athletes, and rules the sports in their own college. He is the outstanding member of his class, and has set a splendid record for future Newtonians to follow.

Newton Highlands

—Mr. and Mrs. Morton of Allerton road, have gone to California.

—The Gino family will move from Floral street to Centre street.

—Mr. John Seaver has taken an apartment at 102 Floral street.

—Miss Anna D. Hills is with the Tozier party this week in Quebec.

—Mr. C. H. Delany fell from a ladder recently, seriously injuring himself.

—Mrs. Racer of Bowdoin street has been confined to her home by illness.

—The Lewis family of Erie avenue have been spending a few days on the Cape.

—Miss Virginia Thomas of Floral street has recovered from her recent illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Beane have moved into their new house on Pine Cliff road.

—Mrs. Harrington of Chester street will entertain two tables of bridge this evening.

—Mr. Brown of Dickerman road suffered a compound fracture of the leg last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dunham of Allerton road, are in Pennsylvania for the holidays.

—The Misses Birtwell are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Birtwell of Lakewood road.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chapman of Floral street spent the holiday at Amesbury, Mass.

—Mr. George D. Atkins left this week for California where he will spend the winter.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davis of Yonkers, New York, spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. George Loud.

—Mr. and Mrs. George S. Germain of Providence, R. I., have been spending a few days with relatives here.

—Mrs. Sanford E. Thompson opens her house this Friday P. M. to the class studying Moslem women.

—Mr. V. J. Hasbrouke of Springfield has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Samuel L. Eaton of Lake avenue.

—Mrs. Racer, formerly of Waban, has returned to Newton Highlands and is now living on Bowdoin street.

—Mr. John Foster of Boston was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Elliott of Saxon road.

—Mrs. Frederick Johnson of Harrison street spent Christmas day at the home of her son, Mr. Seward Johnson.

—The property at 78 Circuit avenue in the Eliot section, consisting of a two family frame house, has been taken over by George M. Miller.

—Mrs. De Bournonville and her daughter have returned to New York and Philadelphia having spent the holidays with friends on Forest street.

—A bridge party will be given at the Parish House of St. Paul's Church on December 31st, the proceeds of which will go to the fund for the repainting of the rectory.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. Paul Townsend and their family are expected home the last of week from Philadelphia and Wilmington where they spent the Christmas holidays with relatives.

—The Misses Virginia and Constance and Mr. Jack Mason entertained with bridge and dancing at their home, 21 Bradford Road, on last Tuesday evening. There were thirty-six guests.

—The Men's club will meet next Tuesday night at St. Paul's parish house. Mr. Frank P. Sibley of the Boston Globe will be the speaker, Mrs. Florence Hale Ginn will sing and the Boy Scouts Drum and Bugle corps will play.

—Funeral services were held Monday at the St. Paul's Episcopal Church for Jenny F., widow of John C. Hurter, who died Friday, December 24, after a long illness. Mrs. Hurter was in her 74th year and had resided on Centre street for several years.

—At the Cline Memorial Church Sunday evening at 7.00 Miss Chapman, violinist from Boston will play four solos. Another feature of the musical program will be a twenty minutes prelude on the organ by Mr. Luard of Newtonville. Mr. Luard will also play an organ solo during part of the service. At the morning service, 10.45 A. M. Mr. Mitchell will sing two solos. Sunday evening, Jan. 9, William Richardson, colored tenor, formerly with Roland Hayes, will sing negro spirituals.

PATRICK F. KENEFICK

Patrick F. Kenefick of 156 River street, West Newton, a resident of this city for 35 years, died suddenly on Tuesday of heart disease. He was a veteran employee of the Saco-Lowell Company and formerly resided at Newton Upper Falls. Mr. Kenefick is survived by one son, Frank Kenefick. Members of Middlesex Court, M. C. O. F., of which the deceased was a member, were present at the funeral which was held this morning at St. Mary's Church. Interment was in St. Mary's Cemetery, Needham.

BIRTHS

DAVIS; on Dec. 27 to Mr. and Mrs. John Davis of 702 Chestnut street, Waban, a son.

McMAHON; on Dec. 27 to Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah McMahon of 74 Pleasant street, Newton Centre, a son.

HINGSTON; on Dec. 28 to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hingston of 61 Brooks avenue, Newtonville, a daughter.

LINNEHAN; on Dec. 28 to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linnehan of 15 Francis street, Newton Centre, a son.

RAYMOND; on Dec. 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Raymond of 1480 Commonwealth avenue, West Newton; a daughter.

DALEY; on Dec. 25 to Mr. and Mrs. Francis Daley of 1175 Walnut street, Newton Highlands, a son.

DOHERTY; on Dec. 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Doherty of 611 Washington street, Newton, a son.

REV. JOHN F. PURCELL

Rev. John F. Purcell died last Friday at the home of his sister, Mrs. John P. Walsh, 49 Floral street, Newton Highlands. He was born in Ireland 57 years ago and came to this country when a boy. He was ordained at Baltimore in 1895 and assigned to the Springfield, Massachusetts, diocese. Later he was transferred to Illinois, returning to Springfield two years ago. His health failing, he came to Newton Highlands a year ago to make his home with his sister. His funeral services were held Monday morning at the Sacred Heart Church, Newton Centre, a solemn requiem mass being celebrated by Rev. Timothy Curtin, assisted by Rev. P. H. Walsh of Malden and Rev. James Farrell of Wilmington. A number of priests were in the sanctuary. Interment was in Calvary Cemetery, Waltham.

AUTO ACCIDENTS

Richard Wilson, 12, of 396 Ward street, Newton Centre, while riding his bicycle Saturday afternoon along Commonwealth avenue, slipped and fell against a sedan driven by a Miss Tenney, who carried him to his home. His thigh and body were badly bruised.

Sunday a car driven by Harold Barker of Locke road, Waban, hit a car driven by W. D. Leary of Cochituate on Commonwealth avenue, near Boston College. The Leary Sedan was overturned, and Barbara Fuller, 8, of Cochituate, one of its occupants, received a cut on the head.

A car driven by Harold Wright of West Newton, hit Charlotte Frediani of Cherry place on Derby street, Sunday. She was able to proceed to her home.

CITY OF NEWTON
City Clerk's Office

December 30, 1926.

Notice is hereby given that the Franchises & Licenses Committee of the Board of Aldermen will hold public hearings at City Hall, West Newton, Mass., on Wednesday, January 12th, 1927, at 7.45 o'clock P. M., upon the following petitions:

No. 57453 Various Private Garages for not more than two cars:—

E. Bonnar Atwood, 53 Trowbridge Avenue, Wd. 2, 2-car,

E. Bonnar-Atwood, 59 Trowbridge Avenue, Wd. 2, 2-car,

Michael Cashman, 64 Oak Cliff Road, Wd. 2, 1 car,

Willis B. Fellows, 124 Plymouth Road, Wd. 5, 2-car,

Emory C. Hatfield, 47 Charlotte Road, Wd. 6, 2-car,

William B. Hedlund, 34 Harding Street, Wd. 2, 2-car,

Daniel J. Holmes, 71 Monadnock Road, Wd. 6, 2-car.

Daniel J. Holmes, 72 Monadnock Road, Wd. 6, 2-car.

Harry A. Johnson, 264 Ward Street. Wd. 6, 1-car.

R. E. Klein, 3 Ridgeway Terrace, Wd. 5, 2-car.

Roch Lazure, 36-38 Northgate Park, Wd. 3, 2-car,

W. Mark Noble, 181 Pleasant Street, Wd. 6, 1-car,

Sadie M. Ray, 27 Mountford Road, Wd. 5, 1-car,

Harry Richal, 26 Whitney Road, Wd. 2, 1 car,

Emil G. Richter, 109 Brackett Road, Wd. 7, 2-car,

Vincent E. Squiers, 121 Intervale Road, Wd. 6, 2-car,

Vincent E. Squiers, 146 Intervale Road, Wd. 6, 2-car,

Star Realty Trust, 43 Charlotte Road, Wd. 6, 1-car,

Dr. N. H. Tracy, 99 Ridge Avenue, Wd. 6, 2-car,

J. A. Willard, 5 Byfield Road, Wd. 5, 2-car,

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